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Oct. 21, 1862.

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Removal.

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April 18.—2m.

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Cassinets, Jeans, &c., with many other goods for spring and summer wear

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Gettysburg, April 9.

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THE First National Bank of Gettysburg has been designated a Depository and Financial Agent of the United States, will and furnish the popular 7-30 Coupon Notes, free from all taxes, and convertible at maturity into 5-20 6 per cent Gold Interest Bonds. Will also, furnish 5-20 and 10-40 Bonds, one year Certificates and all other Government securities. will buy Gold and Silver, cash Coupons, and make collections promptly on all accessable points. GEO. ARNOLD,
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Put Your Shoulder to the Wheel.

There is a voice that speaks us,
If we own no craven heart,
As we pass along life's pathway
Taking our appointed part;
And it bids us bear our burden,
Heavy though it seem and feel,
And with strong and hopeful vigor
Put our shoulder to the wheel.

What though clouds are darkening o'er us,
They but hide a tranquil sky;
Or should storm-drops fall around us,
Soon the sunshine bids them dry.
Never doubt, nor faint and falter,
Heart be stout and true as steel;
Fortune smiles on brave endeavor—
Put your shoulder to the wheel.

Folded hands will never aid us
To uplift the load of care;
"Up and stirring" be your motto,
Meet, to suffer, strong to bear.
'Tis not chance that guides our footsteps,
Or our destiny can seal;
With a will then, strong and steady,
Put your shoulder to the wheel.

Men of worth have conned the lesson,
Men of might have tried its truth,
And wisdom's lips have breathed its maxim
In the list'ning ear of youth;
And be sure throughout life's journey
Many wounded hearts would heal,
If we all as friends and brothers
Put our shoulder to the wheel.

Miscellaneous.

How Long Shall I Live?

You will live forever.

There are no dead. The blow which struck asunder body and spirit did not end the spirit's life. And so the countless myriads of the past, whose dust has long since mingled with the soil "still live." The men, women, and children of Noah's day, and Abraham's and David's, the motley tribes that herded beneath the crescent of the Arabian prophet, the swarms of Goth and Hun, Tartar and Vandal, that swept the plains of the Eastern world, the red men that roamed the forest of the Western World, and left in mounds and tree-grown ruins the dim history of their earthly existence—all these are yet alive. They cannot die Immortality is their birth-right and inheritance. With the first breath of life they inhaled immortality.

No. On the highway of heaven none fall. In the hollows of hell none arise. You have fixed your state forever when you leave this world. The case is closed. You have either united yourself to Christ with an eternal love, which no possibility can sunder, or have entombed your soul in sorrows which no possibility can lift off. All change must be made this side the grave; there is no change beyond. The preparation must be finished here; for there, there is no time. Time is ended, and you are in eternity. The decree is unalterable: "He who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is holy, let him be holy still."

How long will you live? You will live forever; and your life there will depend on your life here. Every day, as you complete it, will reappear in the years to come. Every hour, moment, as it hurries on its way, leaves a page to read before the throne. Every word, every act, every thought and feeling of our hearts, records itself imperishably in the memory of One who never forgets. You are writing your life for eternity.

The Two Heirs.

"I remember" said the late Postmaster General of the United States, Judge Collamer, "the first time I visited Burlington, Vt., as Judge of the Supreme Court. I had left it many years before, a poor boy. At the time I left, there were two families of special note, for their standing and wealth. Each of them had a son about my own age. I was very poor, and these boys were very rich. During the long years of hard toil, which passed before my return, I had almost forgotten them. They had long ago forgotten me.

"Approaching the court-house, for the first time, in company with several gentlemen of the bench and bar, I noticed, in the court yard, a pile of old furniture, about to be sold at auction The scenes of early boyhood with which I was surrounded prompted me to ask whose it was. I was told it belonged to Mr. J. I remembered a family of that name, very wealthy—there was a son, too; can it be he? I was told that it was even so. He was the son of one of the families alluded to. He had inherited more money than he had earned, and spent all; and now was reduced to real want, and his furniture was that day to be sold for debt. I went into the court house suddenly, yet almost glad that I was born poor. I was soon absorbed in the business before me. One of the first cases originated in a low, drunken quarrel between Mr. H. and Mr A. Mr. H., thought I, this is a familiar name. Can it be? In short, I found it was the son of the other wealthy man that was referred to. I was overwhelmed alike with astonishment and thanksgiving:—astonishment at the change of our relative position, and thanksgiving that I was not born to inherit wealth without toil.

Those fathers provide best for their children, who raise them with the higher education, the purer morals, and the least money."

☞ An itinerant phrenologist stopped at a farm house, the proprietor of which was busily engaged in threshing. "Would you like for me to examine the heads of your children? I will do it cheap." "Well," said the farmer, "I rather guess they don't need it. The old woman combs them with a fine tooth comb, once a week."

For the "Adams Sentinel."

Conversation and Gossip.

Conversation is one of the five primary means by which mankind acquire information or knowledge. These five eminent methods are, by Study, Reading, Lectures, Conversation and Observations. Conversation is possessed of some peculiar advantages to the mind, which, however, are regarded as inferior to those possessed by other methods; but which are equally essential for the acquisition of knowledge and development of the same Persons endowed with fine conversational faculties exert a powerful influence for good or evil. Conversation should be of mutual benefit and instruction to the parties engaged therein; notwithstanding the degree of conversational powers possessed by individuals—unless, perhaps, the teacher and scholar, the educated and illiterate, the wise man and ninny, meet and enter into familiar intercourse—then it is, and then only, that the advantage derived is one sided, on the presumption that the proper disposition is manifested on the part of the seeker after knowledge. In conversation with an intelligent and unreserved person, we may propose our sentiments and convictions—have them satisfactorily expatiated upon, and their correctness criticised; have our doubts dispelled in regard to his opinions; and our difficulties solved; erroneous impressions, corrected and defined; misconstructions from reading and study, assume their proper phase Another advantage gained is development of the knowledge possessed by individuals on any subject. The accumulation of an immense store of knowledge from books, &c., if permitted to remain in an inert state would, comparatively speaking, prove of no more avail and benefit than the rich old miser is to the world around him, when left alone to gloat upon his hoarded treasure. It may be said however, in opposition to this, that men may develop their knowledge by their writings; but experience has shown that writers labor under painful disadvantages if excluded from all society; for instance, a thorough acquaintanceship with human nature is an absolute requisite. By conversation the peculiar style of address, the force and light with which opinions and topics are presented, the language employed in expressing ideas, and the *sense* conveyed in expression of those ideas and sentiments—these, and many other traits noticeable in conversation, we say, at once represent and display the *true* character and attributes of the man. Hence, it insures self-confidence, renews energy and actuates new motives, in any walk of life. The power wielded, the influence exerted, the thoughts and ideas suggested and impressed, by conversation, are profound. It may be characterized by profitable instructions, amusements, and benefit; or, on the other hand, by indifferent expressions, nonsensical remarks, and foul, slang phrases—all with their respective tendencies as a natural sequence.—These latter almost invariably result from a lack of proper training, education, and from *evil associates*, whose baneful influence is soon imbibed by the unwary. *True* conversation is attended with numerous other advantages, the enumeration of which would be too lengthy.

But at this present day, in this progressive age, it is surprising to find *profitable* conversation so little resorted to, for relaxation from studies, or even the onerous duties of life; and that gossip—a digression from and perversion of real conversation—has been substituted. Gossip implies—to adopt the definition given by a writer in the "Star"—"a superficial, surface seeing, mischief making creature," to which we add, an excessive prattler and loquacious tattler. The truth of the foregoing appellations is unquestionable. The *conversation* he carries on is of precious little benefit to himself or those around him. It may be argued, however, the gossip amuses the company with his continual nonsense, which, by the way, appears to be right and proper; but still the question suggests itself: should not gossiping be accompanied with benefit, lessons of instruction and a definite purpose in view, on whatever trivial topic, narration of any remarkable circumstance, or discussion of any profound theme? Could not opportunies be presented to each individual to derive a profitable application, increase his store of information and open new fields of thought for his meditation, though gossip be predominant upon any topic in question? It certainly *could* be.—It is said man was created for the attainment of special "callings;" and most important among these, is to elevate, benefit and enlighten his fellow man. This is a self evident truth. The question is asked, from what cause does this gossip propensity originate? Our first and best reason, probably, is the extensive reading of *light literature*, so alarmingly prevalent at the present day. "Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh," is a scriptural proverb; and we hold, therefore, that the material furnished the mind by reading, &c, is developed by conversation or gossip.—For an illustration, our limited observation may testify to this, especially on the part of the Ladies. At recent large private *gatherings* in this town, we heard and saw singing, dancing, and loquacious gossipping; but truly beneficial conversation appeared to be nearly entirely excluded from the order of programme. The effects produced are equally apparent, but we must refrain from an enumeration.

This is emphatically an age of Reading Immense stores of literature of every variety, may be found in nearly every family; but the fastidious tastes of the age are alone satiated through fictitious matter. Hence, we have a lack of true, beneficial conversation. The contemplation of this fact is indeed humiliating, and unpleasant to dwell upon. Let the remedy, therefore, at once be applied—let *sound, useful, profitable, practical, Literature*, take the place of these sickening love and "blood and-thunder" tales, and the conversation and intelligence of any community will be far more substantial and practical than thus. We then will drift into the proper sphere of industry and perseverance; and a healthy and matter-of-fact generation will be the consequence, and one important stride be made toward the millenium.

Gettysburg, Aug. 14. MERCURY

Signs.

When will signs and wonders cease?—Not till the destroying angel shall clip short the thread of time and the heavens be rolled together as a scroll. Not a day passes but we see good and bad signs, as the following will show:

It is a good sign to see a man doing an act of charity to his fellows.

It is a bad sign to hear him boasting of it.

It is a good sign to see an honest man wearing his old clothes.

It is a bad sign to see them filling the holes in the windows.

It is a good sign to see a man wiping the perspiration from his brow.

It is a bad sign to see him wipe his chops as he comes out of the cellar.

It is a good sign to see a woman dressing with taste and neatness

It is a bad sign to see her husband sued for her finery.

It is a good sign for a man to advertise in the paper.

It is a bad sign to see the sheriff advertise for him

It is a good sign to see a man sending his children to school.

It is a bad sign to see them educated at evening school on the public square.

Irish Adroitness.

Cæsar Otway tells a story of a curious little dapper exciseman, who entered Connemara, single handed, to seize a fat lady who did a good business in French silks and laces. He met the contrabandist in a narrow pass, and came upon her, if I recollect aright, unexpectedly, from behind a rock. The lady, who was very large and fat, was riding on a pillion behind a servant boy. Although taken by surprise, she proved herself more than a match for the excise officer.

"I shall thank you, ma'am," said he, taking the horse by the bridle, "to dismount."

"Dismount! Arrah, what for, sir?" asked the lady.

"I am an officer in his Majesty's service, ma'am, and have reason to believe that you have contraband property about your person, or beneath the saddle of your horse."

Fortunately for the contrabandist she had none of the goods about her person; they were all stowed away beneath the pillion, or saddle, on which she sat.

"I really cannot come down," said the large, fat woman.

"But really, ma'am, you must," said the courageous little man, looking up at the mountain.

"Then if I do, sir, you must help me."

"With the greatest of pleasure, ma'am," said the miniature exciseman, holding up his hands to assist her.

The lady, who came "down at a run," hopped into his arms with a weight and velocity which threw him upon his back in the road, where she held him pinned beneath her.

"Ride away, ma bochal," said she, in Irish, turning her head to the servant boy, "It's me the gentleman wants, and not you."

"Let me up, madam!" roared the excise man.

"Oh, dear me, sir, what a fright you gave me," said she, rolling herself leisurely off; "and I declare that boy has rode off with the horse."—*Once a Week.*

A Stretchy Yarn.

We were running down from Barbadoes, and the lady passengers were admiring the beautiful flying fish, when one turned to Jack Lacy, who had the wheel, and inquired—

"Jack, do those beautiful fish ever grow any larger?"

"Why, yes, marm. Down there at the Cape Verds, they grow as long as that mainmast."

"Indeed! And do they fly, like these?"

"Not 'zacly, marm. They flies long and higher. Some on 'em fly just like eagles all day, and more'n two miles high. One day Bill Fawcell was sleepin' up in the foretop, with his dinner port wide open, and one of 'em Cape Verders flew right slap down his throat."

"Why, Jack, that was singular. A fish as long as that mainmast flying down a man's throat?"

"Beg pardon, marm, can't talk much at the wheel. I 'speck Bill must ha' stretched like blazes, or else my yarn has."

☞ In these nights, the following remark, which a distinguished divine recently made, may be in season: "I don't mind so much," said he, "about the mosquitoes biting me, if they would not always say grace before meat."

Matrimony.

"I did!"
"You didn't!"
"You are the plague of my life!"
"And you of mine!"

Aha! young folks—what, at it again? Fie! fie! Now are you not ashamed of yourselves? Tell me—you sir—is not that the maiden whom you singled out from all the world, because you prized and loved her most? And tell me, wayward girl, is not that the youth upon whose bosom you leant, and wept tears of joy but six short months ago? And it has come to this already!—Have you both forgotten so soon those moonlight walks, those hours of rapture when—locked in each other's arms and soul communing with soul—you were all in all to each other in this cold, selfish world?

We know nothing of your squabbles, and do not wish to know. It is six of one and half a dozen of the other; you are a couple of young idiots, and that is all about it. Are there not inevitable sorrows enough abroad in the wide world, that you must manufacture gratuitous and artificial ones to hug them to your hearts? Be assured, youthful couple, it is not always under the load of heavy cares that we poor mortals sink. These come but rarely; we summon up extra courage to oppose them—and, united together, you may brave them to the last. No, no, it is these silly, idle, paltry bickerings—these ill-tempered little words and acts which gradually wear the heart away piecemeal, as water drops corrode the hardest granite.

You foolish creatures! have you ever sat down quietly to view the long road before you? And if you thus commence life's painful journey, what will it be before you reach the goal? You have often sighed, perhaps, on viewing criminals chained, two by two, wearing their lives away; and you have seen a wretched dog, when cruel persons have tied a tin pan to his tail, running and howling in an agony of terror. Now don't be vexed—but man and wife like you always remind us of these things. You are like two criminals chained together for life, and either of you resemble the little puppy dog and the other the tin pan at his tail.

Look you, sir, she is weeping! Now throw your manly arms around her neck and kiss those tears away. In you, as the stronger vessel, it is noble to yield first.—And you, sweet girl, with sunny smiles running through falling tears. Oh! from the union of those smiles and tears beams forth the rainbow of promise to thy wedded life! The storm is past! Now you present a spectacle in which angels may delight; a moment ago you were the sport of demons.

A Good Joke on Sherman.

While marching through Georgia, Gen. Sherman travelled with the left wing under Gen. Slocum. After a long and wearisome march, he one day crossed over to the right wing under Gen. Howard. While in Gen. Howard's tent, which had just been pitched, the Medical Director came in, well acquainted with the habits and customs of both. Gen. Sherman sometimes took a "glass," while Gen. Howard was strongly opposed to the indulgence. Knowing this, the medical gentleman, after a short time, wishing to serve his chief without offence to Howard, said:

"Gen. Sherman, you look weary and ill. If you will come over to my tent, I will give you a Seidlitz Powder, which I think will do you good."

"Thank you," readily responded "Tecumseh," "I think I will."

The man of physic departed, and Gen. Howard, who took everything literally, ran to his valise and got a powder, which he mixed and handed to Sherman:

"There is no need to go away for one, if that is what you want," he said, and Sherman, inwardly chagrined, but highly amused, drank the cup manfully, to the mirth of several bystanders, who comprehended the whole magnitude of the joke at a glance.

Hard on the Minister.

A newly imported old Walesman out in Wisconsin was persuaded to go to church one Sunday. As soon as the minister, who wore a long beard, began his first prayer, the old man was seen to weep. He also shed tears during the second prayer, and at the benediction the old fellow almost blubbered out. On leaving church one of the deacons said to him:

"Friend Griffith, you seemed to be much affected with the minister's prayer to-day?"

"Yell, no, I tink you be mistaken; I no understand vot he say much!"

"Why, then, did you shed tears?"

"Oh, dear sir, it's because when he puts up his face to bray, he makes me tink of one beautiful goat I used to have in de old gundree; and de poor critur died and was wurth three guineas. Oh, I can't help cryin' ven I tink of her!"

THE TOMATO AS FOOD.—A good medical authority ascribes to the tomato the very important medical qualities: 1st.—That the tomato is one of the most powerful aperients of the liver and other organs; where calomel is indicated, it is one of the most effective and the least hurtful medical agencies known to the profession. 2d.—That a chemical extract will be obtained from it that will supersede the use of calomel in the cure of disease. 3d.—That he has successfully treated diarrhœa with this article alone. 4th.—That when used as an article of diet it is almost sovereign for dyspepsia and indigestion. 5th.—That it should constantly be used for food. Either cooked or raw, or in the form of catsup, it is the most healthy article now in use.

The Sheriff and the Widow.

The Port Gibson Herald tells a good story, of which an Alabama sheriff is hero, as follows: "Court was in session, and amid the multiplicity of business which crowded upon him at term time, he stopped at the door of a beautiful widow, on the sunny side of thirty, who, by the way, had often bestowed melting glances upon the sheriff aforesaid. He was admitted, and soon the widow appeared. The confusion and delight which the arrival of her visitor occasioned, set off to greater advantage than usual the captivating charms of the widow M. Her cheek bore the beautiful blended tints of the apple blossom, her lips resembled rose buds upon which the morning dew yet lingered, her eyes were like the quiver of Cupid, the glances of love and tenderness with which they were filled, resembling arrows that only wanted a fine bow (pardon the pun) to do full execution. After a few common-place remarks—

"Madam," said the matter of fact sheriff, "I have an attachment for you"

A deeper blush than usual mantled the cheek of the fair widow—with downcast eyes, whose glances were centred upon her beautiful feet, half concealed by her flowing drapery, gently patting the floor, she, with equal candor, replied:

"Sir, the attachment is reciprocal."

For some time the sheriff maintained an astonished silence; and at last said:

"Will you please proceed to Court?"

"Proceed to court!" replied the lady with a merry laugh; then shaking her beautiful head, she added, "No, Sir! although this is LEAP YEAR, I will not take advantage of the license therein granted my sex, and therefore greatly prefer you should 'PROCEED TO COURT!'"

"But, madam, the Justice is waiting."

"Let him wait; I am not disposed to hurry matters in such an unbecoming manner; besides, sir, when the ceremony is performed I wish you to understand that I prefer a minister to a Justice of the Peace."

"Madam," said he, rising from his chair with solemn dignity, "there is a great mistake here; my language has been misunderstood; the attachment of which I speak was issued from the office of Esquire C—, and commands me to bring you instantly before him, to answer a contempt of Court in disobeying a subpœna in the case of Smith vs. Jones!"

We drop the curtain.

A Snake Story.

Here is a snake story, located in Brazil, which rather "takes down" everything of home manufacture. It is well known that snakes are fond of milk. There was once a snake not exempt from this weakness of his fellow reptiles, which hit upon the following ingenious expedient to gratify its taste. It visited a room in which a black nurse and her nursling slept, and every night his snakeship would creep into the bed, cunningly insert the tip of its tail into the baby's mouth to amuse it and prevent its crying, while the hideous reptile substituted itself for the infant, which it thus deprived of its natural food, the nurse sleeping on, unconscious of having such a monstrous nursling.

This went on for some time, until the infant, being thus cheated of half its allowance of food, became so thin that suspicion was excited, and an old negress was set to watch the nurse at night—the delinquent was caught in the act, and expiated its offence with its life, while the poor baby, being no longer kept on "short-commons," recovered its strength and grew fine and fat as before.

The Dog.

The man who could ever tire of reading Fred. Cozzen's description of his dog, must have a nature deficient in the sublime and beautiful ingredients. To those who have never read it, or want to read it again, we now present it:

"A dog is a good thing to have in the country. I have one which I raised from a pup. He is a good, stout fellow, and a hearty barker and feeder. The man of whom I bought him said he was a thoroughbred, but he begins to have a mongrel look about him. He is a good watch dog, though; for the moment he sees any suspicious looking person about the premises, he comes right into the kitchen and gets behind the stove. First, we kept him in the house, and he scratched all night to get out—Then we turned him out, and he scratched all night to get in. Then we tied him up at the back of the garden, and he howled so that our neighbor shot at him twice before day break. Finally, we gave him away, and he came back; and now he is just recovering from a fit in which he has torn up the patch that has been sown for our spring radishes."

☞ The Paris correspondent of an English paper tells the following six horse story:—A wealthy foreign *parvenu*, a few days back, paraded in the Champs Elysees in a carriage drawn by six horses. Greatly to his astonishment, he was waited on shortly after his return home by a high functionary of the police, who told him that in France no one was allowed to use six horses except the sovereign. He complained that he could not have as many animals in his carriage as he pleased; but he was informed that if he again presented himself with six horses, the animals and the carriage would be seized and he himself would be arrested.

☞ A flirt is like a dipper attached to a hydrant. Every one is at liberty to drink of it; but no one desires to carry it away.

Women and Men.

Very intelligent women, we find by observation, are seldom beautiful. The formation of their features, and particularly their forehead, is more or less masculine. Miss Lander was rather pretty and feminine in the face; but Miss Sedgwick, Miss Pardue, Miss Leslie, and the late Anna Maria and Jane Porter, the contrary. One of the Misses Porter had a forehead as high as that of an intellectual man. We never knew of any very talented man who was admired for his personal beauty. Pope was awful ugly; Dr. Johnson was no better; Mirabeau was the ugliest man in all France, and yet he was the great favorite with the ladies. Women more frequently prize men for their sterling qualities of the mind than men do women. Dr. Johnson chose a woman who had scarcely an idea above an oyster. He thought her the loveliest creature in existence, if we may judge by the inscription he left on her tomb.

The Increase of Crime.

Solomon rather condemns those who say that "the former days were better than these;" and we do not always acquiesce in the opinion so often uttered, that the world is getting worse, for we think, upon the whole, that it is not. But it must be admitted that the commission of crimes of strange and appalling atrocity have of late become alarmingly frequent. Bowdyism, and the prompt and fatal use of deadly weapons, may be traced to bad whisky; but the lust of gain seems to be the besetting sin of most of those who have recently stained their hands in the blood of their fellows. This moral malady seems at times to be epidemic; yet it must necessarily, like other epidemics, have its exciting causes. How far the wide-spread spirit of speculation may be that exciting cause is worthy of consideration.

☞ Remember that God is no curious or critical observer of the plain expressions that fall from His poor children when they are in their closet duties; 'tis not a flow of words, or studied notions, seraphic expressions, or elegant phrases in prayer, which take the ear or delight the heart of God, or open the gate of glory, or bring down the best of blessings upon the soul; but uprightness, holiness, heavenliness, spirituality, and brokenness of heart—these are the things that make a conquest upon God, and turn most to the soul's account.

☞ Two ladies of astronomical taste at Norwich, Connecticut, thought they had discovered a remarkable phenomenon in the heavens, the other night, and called many of their friends out to look at it. Everybody was astonished at the shining orb, except a youth of philosophical mind, who set off on a journey of investigation. He had not proceeded far when he found that the brilliant star was the head of a gilded weathercock on a distant barn, on which the moon's rays had fallen.

HOW TO CURE A FELON.—As we often see friends suffering with these very troublesome things, we publish the following cure for them, which we have heard highly recommended:

"As soon as the part begins to swell, get tincture of lobelia and wrap the part affected with cloth saturated thoroughly with tincture, and the felon is dead. An old physician says he has known it to cure in scores of cases, and it never fails if applied in season.

☞ Two gardeners, who were neighbors, had their crops of early peas killed by the frost. One of them came to condole with the other. 'Ah!' cried he, "how unfortunate! Do you know, neighbor, I've done nothing but fret ever since. But bless me! you seem to have a fine crop coming up! what sort are they?" "Why, those are what I sowed immediately after my loss—"What, coming up already?" "Yes," replied the other; "*while you were fretting, I was working!*"

☞ An Irishman having arrived from Dublin at the house of a respectable merchant in the borough, and having left Ireland *three weeks* before, brought with him a basket of eggs. His friend asked him why he took the trouble to bring eggs from England? "Because," said he, "I am fond of them new laid, and I know these to be so!"

☞ An Irishman was once brought before a magistrate, charged with marrying six wives. The magistrate asked him how he could be so hardened a villain. "Please your honor, I was trying to get a good 'un."

☞ Some people place their ideas of happiness upon one thing, and some upon another. A lady made a call upon a friend who had lately been married. When her husband come home to dinner she said, "I have been to see Mrs. ——." "Well," replied the husband, "I suppose she is very happy." "Happy? think she ought to be; she has a camel's hair shawl, two-thirds border"

☞ "I mourn my bleeding country," said a certain army contractor to General Sheridan. "So you ought, you scoundrel," replied Sheridan, "for nobody has bled her more than you have."

☞ There are 11,851 Indians residing within the limits of the State of Michigan. The total number in the United States is estimated at 314,622.

☞ In California, the radical wing of the Republican party are termed "Long Hairs," and the conservative wing "Short Hairs."

GROVESTEEN & CO,

PIANO FORTE

MANUFACTURERS.

499 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK.

THE attention of the Public and the trade is invited to our NEW SCALE 7 OCTAVE ROSEWOOD PIANO FORTES, which for volume and purity of tone are unrivalled by any hitherto offered in this market. They contain all the modern improvements, French, Grand Action, Harp Pedal, Iron Frame, Over Strung Bass, &c., and each instrument being made under the personal supervision of Mr. J. H. Grovesteen, who has had a practical experience of over 35 years in their manufacture, is fully warranted in every particular.

The "Grovesteen Piano Fortes" received the award of merit over all others at the celebrated World's Fair,

Where were exhibited instruments from the best makers of London, Paris, Germany, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston, and New York; and also at the American Institute for five successive years the gold and silver medals from both of which can be seen at our wareroom.

By the introduction of improvements we make a still more perfect Piano Forte, and by manufacturing largely, with a strictly cash system, are enabled to offer these instruments at a price which will preclude all competition.

PRICES.

No. 1, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood plain case $275.

No. 2, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood heavy moulding $300.

No. 3, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood Louis XIV style $325.

Terms: Net Cash in Current Funds.

Descriptive Circulars sent free.

"A. & C." [July 25.—1y.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN SEWING MACHINES.

EMPIRE SHUTTLE MACHINE.

Patented February 14th, 1860.

SALESROOM 536 BROADWAY, N. Y.
250 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON.

THIS Machine is constructed on entirely new principles of mechanism, possessing many rare and valuable improvements, having been examined by the most profound experts, and pronounced to be Simplicity and Perfection Combined.

It has a straight needle, perpendicular action, makes the "Lock or Shuttle Stitch," which will "Neither Rip nor Ravel," and it is alike on both sides; performs perfect sewing on every description of Material, from Leather to the finest Nansook Muslin, with cotton, linen or silk thread, from the coarsest to the finest number.

Having neither "Cam nor Cog Wheel," and the least possible friction, it runs as smooth as glass, and is

EMPHATICALLY A NOISELESS MACHINE!

It requires fifty per cent. less power to drive it than any other Machine in the market. A girl twelve years of age can work it steadily, without fatigue or injury to health.

Its strength and "Wonderful Simplicity" of construction renders it almost impossible to get out of order and is Guaranteed by the Company to give entire satisfaction.

We respectfully invite all those who may desire to supply themselves with a superior article, to come and examine this "Unrivalled Machine."

One half hour's instruction is sufficient to enable any person to work this Machine to their entire satisfaction.

Religious and Charitable Institutions will be liberally dealt with.

Agents wanted for all Towns in the United States, where Agents are not already established. Also for Cuba, Mexico, Central and South America, to whom a liberal discount will be given. T. J. McARTHUR & CO.
A & Co.

AGENCIES ESTABLISHED.

Baltimore, Thomas Shanks. Philadelphia, Sarmiento McGrath & Co. Washington, D. C., J. Karr. [July 25.

FRESH ARRIVAL.

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES.

COBEAN & CO.

HAVE just received and opened another splendid assortment of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES, for Summer wear, which they are selling at very low prices considering the times. The latest styles of Summer Hats and Caps, of every description and price. Boots and Shoes, of superior make, and warranted to fit always on hand. Work made to order and repairing done on short notice, by experienced workmen. Also—

HARNESS MAKING

carried on all its branches. Persons wanting anything in this line would do well to call.

☞Don't forget the old stand in Chambersburg street, if you want Bargains.

COBEAN & CRAWFORD.

June 20.

The Old Stand on the Hill.

J. M. ROWE, thankful for past favors, invites the citizens of Gettysburg and vicinity to his stock of Goods, consisting in part of

SUGARS,
COFFEES,
SYRUPS,
TEAS,
CROCKERY-WARE,
TOBACCOES,
BACON,
LARD,
LAMPS,
BASKETS, FISH, OILS, SOAPS NOTIONS,
FLOUR AND FEED,

all of which he is prepared to sell low as the lowest. Country produce taken in exchange for goods and the highest price paid. My motto is "Quick Sales and Small Profits."—Give me a call. J. M. ROWE.

May 23, 1865.

Carriage-Making Resumed.

THE war being over, the undersigned have resumed the

CARRIAGE-MAKING BUSINESS,

at their old stand, in East Middle street, Gettysburg, where they are again prepared to put up work in the most fashionable, substantial, and superior manner. A lot of new and second hand

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, &C.,

on hand, which they will dispose of at the lowest prices; and all orders will be supplied as promptly and satisfactorily as possible.

☞REPAIRING

done with dispatch, and at cheapest rates.

A large lot of new and old HARNESS on hand for sale.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore enjoyed by them, they solicit and will endeavor to deserve a large share in the future. DANNER & ZIEGLER.

July 11.—tf.

CALL EARLY, if you want cheap and desirable Goods—where you cannot fail to be pleased, at FAHNESTOCK'S.

KOLLOCK'S Levain, the purest and best Baking powder in use, at
Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

A LOT of Fresh Gum Drops, the finest ever offered in this market, to be had at Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store [Feb. 17.

Grape Vines.

WE have a very large and superior stock of Vines, grown in the open air, from the best of bearing wood, mostly taken from our own Vineyard, and having fruited the best and most improved varieties, we have the advantage of offering to the Public, what we know to be the most profitable kinds, both for Garden and Vineyard culture, Concord, Creveling, Clinton, Catawba, Delaware, Diana, Dracut Amber, Hartford Prolific, Herbemont, Jona, Isabella, Maxatawney, Oporto, Ontario, Rebecca, Rodgers, Hybrid's, Menallen, Taylor, and Union Village.

FOR FIVE DOLLARS

We will furnish No. 1 Vines:—3 Concord, 2 Delaware, 1 Diana, 2 Clinton, 1 Dracut Amber, 1 Menallen.

Strawberries.

FRENCH'S SEEDLING

Sustains its high character as a most valuable early variety. Plants vigorous and hardy, reliable on all kinds of soils. Fruit large, productive, finest quality and most attractive appearance.

50 Cents per Doz., $2 per 100, $10 per 1000.

RUSSELL'S PROLIFIC,

Very large, productive, handsome and excellent; took the highest Premium as the best Strawberry at the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society's Exhibition, in June last, also at the Great Sanitary Fair held in Philadelphia during the same month.

$1 per doz., $3 per 100.

TRIOMPH DE GRAND & WILSON'S ALBANY.

25 cents per doz.

SMITH'S BUFFALO SEEDLING.

Extract from testimonial of Benjamin Hodge, Esq., Buffalo, one of the oldest and most experienced Fruit growers in the State.

"*Its combination of superior qualities* renders the "Buffalo Seedling," in my opinion, *the best Strawberry* that has been introduced to the American public.

From Lewis F. Allen, Esq., Black Rock, N. Y.

"After making thorough trial of the best of our popular varieties, I do not hesitate to pronounce the 'Buffalo Seedling' the best I have known. I know of no strawberry which in all its combinations of excellence is equal to this." LEWIS F. ALLEN.

$1 per doz., $3 per 100.

Raspberries.

Philadelphia, Doolittles Black, Miami Black, Col. Wilder, Franconia, White Antwerp. $1 per doz.

Blackberries.

Dorchester and Lawton. $1 per doz.

Currants.

We have all the leading varieties of Currants, but would recommend the following to be the most productive: Cherry, Red Dutch, Red Grape; White Grape. $1.50 per doz.

HOUGHTONS SEEDLING GOOSEBERRY.

$1 per doz.

MAYATT'S LINNÆUS RHUBARB.

$1 per doz.

ROSES, DAHLIAS, and many other varieties of Flowers.

Orders promptly attended to and delivered at Gettysburg, Pa.

BURKHOLDER & WILSON,
Bendersville, Adams county, Penna.

June 6.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY,

AT REDUCED PRICES.

JOSEPH BEVAN,

YORK STREET, OPPOSITE THE BANK,

HAS just received a new stock of GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, purchased at greatly reduced prices, and will be sold as low as can be bought in the large cities. Every watch warranted. Also, has just opened an assortment of beautiful JEWELRY, consisting in part of Gold Lockets. Chains, Breastpins, Finger Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, &c. Wedding Rings always on hand.

Especial attention is invited to his large stock of SILVER AND SILVER PLATED WARE, consisting of Cake Baskets, Casters, Syrup Pitchers, Children's Cups, Spoons, Forks, &c., all of which are of the best quality, and from the most celebrated Factory in the country.—The Solid Silver Ware is warranted of standard quality and equal to silver coin.

GOLD PENS of first quality always on hand. Especial attention is invited to his large assortment of GOLD, SILVER, and STEEL SPECTACLES, and from a long experience in adapting them to the sight, is prepared to fit all who need them; persons having good frames can have glasses fitted in to suit them.

From a long experience in Watch-repairing, especially of fine watches, he is prepared to do all kinds of Watch work promptly, in the best manner, and guaranty the performance of it.

HAIR JEWELRY made to order in the best stle, and a great variety of patterns on hand.

JEWELRY repaired in the neatest manner.

All purchases will be guarantied as represented. JOSEPH BEVAN.

Gettysburg, May 23.

New Spring Goods.

SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES.

J. L. SCHICK would respectfully say to the citizens of Gettysburg and vicinity, that he is now receiving at his Store a splendid

STOCK OF SPRING GOODS.

The stock consists in part of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods of every description,

SILKS,
MOZAMBIQUES,
SHALLIES,
DELANES,
BOMBAZINES,
ALPACCAS,
LAWNS,
CALICOS,

of all qualities and choicest styles, which will be sold at prices to defy competition.

FURNISHING GOODS,

of all kinds, including Silk, Linen and Cotton Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Stockings, &c.

Also, a splendid assortment of Ribbons, Laces and Edgings, Umbrellas and Parasols. My stock of White Goods will be found full and complete, and customers may rely upon always getting goods at the lowest possible prices.

Gentlemen will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERS, and VESTINGS, of all qualities and choicest styles. J. L. SCHICK.

May 17.

STOVES,
Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

SHEADS & BUEHLER, having purchased the stock of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware of GEO. E. BUEHLER, have opened an Establishment in connection with their Stove Ware-room, under the superintendence of G. E. BUEHLER, and are now prepared to furnish every thing in that line, at the lowest prices. In addition to the ordinary Ware they have a large supply of Kitchen and House-furnishing Goods, of every variety, including ENAMELLED and TINNED KETTLES, PANS, &c., for preserving, frying and cooking. Call and see their splendid assortment of Stoves and House-furnishing Goods, at their Ware house on the corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets.

☞Spouting put up at shortest notice.

☞Lumber, Coal and Lime always on hand at their yard.

C. H. BUEHLER.

Gettysburg, April 4.

Picture Frames.

A GREAT variety of PICTURE FRAMES, with plain and convex glasses, for sale at Horner's Drug and Variety store.

June 27, '65

GREAT SALE OF

WATCHES & JEWELRY,

$1,000,000 WORTH!

TO BE DISPOSED OF AT ONE DOLLAR EACH, WITHOUT REGARD TO VALUE,

And not to be paid until you know what you will receive!

By A. H. Rowen & Co.,

(Agents for the Manufacturers,)

NO. 36 BEEKMAN STREET, NEW YORK.

☞Read the following list of Articles to be sold for ONE DOLLAR:

100 Gold Hunting Case Watches...each $125.00
100 Watches, various styles...75.00
200 Ladies' Gold Watches...50.00
500 Silver Watches...$20.00 to 35.00
6000 Neck and Vest Chains...5.00 to 20.00
5500 Gent's Cali'a diamond Pins...5.00 to 20.00
4000 Cali'a diamond ear drops...5.00 to 10.00
3000 Miniature Revolving Pins...5.00 to 10.00
2000 Cali'a diamond and enamelled Gent's scarf pins new styles...5.00 to 10.00
2000 Masonic and Emblem Pins...3.00 to 10.00
2500 Gold Band Bracelets, engv...3.00 to 20.00
3000 Jet & Mosaic Brooches...3.00 to 10.00
2000 Cameo Brooches...5.00 to 20.00
3000 Coral Ear Drops...4.00 to 6.00
2000 Ladies' Watch Chains...8.00 to 15.00
6000 Gents' Pins, a splendid ass't 2.00 to 10.00
4000 Solit'e Sleeve Buttons...3.00 to 10.00
3000 Studs & Sleeve Buttons...3.00 to 10.00
5000 Sleeve Buttons, plain & engr 2.00 to 8.00
10000 Plain and engraved Rings...2.50 to 10.00
8000 Lockets, richly engraved...2.00 to 10.00
15000 Sets Ladies' Jew'y, new and latest styles...6.00 to 12.00
5000 Handsome Seal Rings...3.00 to 8.00
2000 Sets Bosom Studs...2.50 to 6.00
1000 Gold Pens and Gold Holders 15.00 to 25.00
2000 Sets Jet and Gold Pins and Ear Drops, latest styles, very rich...6.00 to 10.00
3000 Gold Thimbles, Pencils, &c...4.00 to 6.00
10000 Gold Pens & Silver Cases...3.00 to 5.00
10000 " Ebony Holders...4.00 to 6.00

This entire list of beautiful and valuable goods will be sold for ONE DOLLAR each. Certificates of all the above articles will be placed in envelopes, and sealed. These envelopes are sent by mail, as ordered, without regard to choice. On the receipt of the certificate you will see what you are to have, and then it is at your option to send the Dollar and take the article, or not.

Five certificates can be ordered for $1; eleven for $2; thirty for $5, sixty-five for $10; and one hundred for $15. We will send a single Certificate on the receipt of 25 cents. Agents wanted to whom we offer special terms: send 25 cents for one certificate and our circular with terms. A. H. ROWEN & CO.,
36 Beekman Street, N. Y.

May 16.—6m. P. O. Box, 4270.

CHEAP CLOTHING.

☞THIS WAY FOR BARGAINS!☜

F. B. PICKING'S

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING STORE,

Baltimore street, Gettysburg.

OUR SPRING & SUMMER SUPPLY JUST OPENED

IS the largest and best selected stock of Clothing ever brought to Gettysburg, embracing all the

LATEST STYLES FOR MEN AND BOYS,

among which are fine fitting Dress and Business Coats, Cloth, Cassimere, Silk, Satin and Cotton Vests, Dress and Business Pants, of every style, quality and size, Under Clothes of every description. Also—

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,

embracing Gloves, Collars, Neck-ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c. Also—

NOTIONS IN ENDLESS VARIETY,

such as Violins, Accordeons, Violin Strings, Clocks, Hair and Clothes brushes, Combs, Razor and Razor Strops, Soap, Spectacles, Canes, Pen Knives, Pencils, Pens and Dominoes. Also—

TRUNKS, CARPET SACKS, UMBRELLAS, TOBACCO, SEGARS,

and, indeed, a little of everything will be found in this Store. Having made our purchases for Cash, and at a favorable time, we are prepared to sell cheap.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

If you desire to have a good fitting suit, made of good material, call and examine for yourselves,

AND SAVE MONEY.

April 25, 1865. F. B. PICKING.

NEW AND CHEAP GOODS

AT REDUCED PRICES.

Fahnestock Brothers,

HAVE received, and are now opening, a large and varied stock of SPRING GOODS to which they invite the attention of buyers. In Dress Goods their stock consists of

Bombazines,
Alpacas,
Shallies,
Delaines,
Mozambiques,
Mohair,
Melaux,
Calicoes, &c.,

of every style and quality, and which cannot fail to please.

For Gentlemen's wear, we have a choice selection of

CLOTHS,
FANCY CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS,

and low priced Pants Goods, at prices which we guarantee to give satisfaction. In Domestics, we can offer MUSLINS FROM 12½ CENTS UPWARDS.

In addition to the above we have increased our stock of Queensware and Hardware at reduced prices. Also—

GROCERIES AT THE LOWEST RATES.

In fact, our stock comprises everything which customers may desire, and at prices lower than any other establishment in the county. All we ask, is an examination to satisfy all that it is to their interest to give us a call.

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

May 2.

WILLIAM BOYER & SON,

KEEP constantly on hand a splendid assortment of

Coffee,
Sugar, Tea, Syrups,
Spices, Fish, Bacon, Salt, Notions,
Tobacco, Cigars, Confections,

and everything connected with a Family Grocery. We will always keep up a full supply of goods and sell them at prices which cannot fail to please. Call and see us at our stand in York street, opposite the Bank of Gettysburg. ☞All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods.

July 25.

NEW GOODS.

GEORGE ARNOLD,

HAS now on hand his stock of SPRING CLOTHING, mostly of his own manufacturing, consisting of all kinds of Coats, Pants, Vests, Blouse Shirts, Drawers, &c.

Also, a large stock of Piece Goods, such as Cloths, Cassimers, Drillings, Jeans, &c., &c. Please call before purchasing elsewhere, they are as cheap as the cheapest.

May 16.

Charles H. Buehler,

DEALER IN COAL AND LUMBER, Stoves, Tin-Ware, Hollow-Ware, &c. Also, Shutters, Blinds, Sash, etc.

☞Corner of Carlisle and Railroad Streets, opposite Railroad Depot, Gettysburg, Pa. [Sept. 29.

ENGLISH, French and American Mustard, for sale at DR. R. HORNER'S DRUG-STORE.

A STANDARD POLITICAL WORK

McPHERSON'S

Political History of the Rebellion.

THE Political History of the United States during the Rebellion—extending from November 6, 1860, to July 4, 1864, by Hon. EDWARD McPHERSON, Clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States, is destined to become a standard authority concerning these stirring times, and is among the most useful and interesting books now before the public.

It contains the various STATE PAPERS of the period—Executive, Judicial, and Legislative—and those of the Military which bear upon political questions; also the Propositions submitted to, and the Laws enacted by Congress, with the vote in each House, upon every leading question, such as Confiscation, Arrests, Habeas Corpus, Compensated Emancipation, and every phrase of the Slavery Question; also the "Legal Tender," State Taxation, and other features of our Financial Legislation, with Tables of the National and Rebel Debt; all the Military Legislation, including every Proposition and vote at the late Session respecting the Draft, and all the Propositions for the last four years, in reference to the Objects of the War and its Prosecution, to Peace and Reconstruction, with the votes thereon, in both the Union and Rebel Congresses—a record, of itself, worth the price of the book.

It also contains a full and fair record of the proceedings in and out of Congress, between the Presidential Election of 1860 and the breaking out of the War; including a statement of each Adjustment Proposition made, and votes taken, and all other data necessary to give a clear view of that event, in all its bearings and relations. It also contains the names of the persons composing the Union and Rebel Administrations and Congresses, with the changes therein, and such of the Rebel Legislation, Judicial Rulings, Proclamations, Orders, and Items, as throw light upon the progress of events—the work forming a magazine of facts arranged in logical order, or grouped in natural harmony, and constituting a most valuable contribution to the Historical literature of the country.

In all the votes, parties are classified.

The Index is thorough, both as to names and subjects, giving the reader entire command of the contents.

448 pp., Law Sheep. Price $4.00.

☞To be had at the Book & Drug Store of A. D. BUEHLER.

Sept 20.

STERLING'S AMBROSIA

It prevents or stops the Hair from falling; Cleanses, Beautifies, Preserves, and renders it Soft and Glossy, and the Head free from Dandruff.

It is the best Hair Dressing and Preservative in the world.

STERLING'S AMBROSIA
MANUFACTURING COMP'Y,
SOLE PROPRIETORS,
NEW YORK.

May 16.—6m.

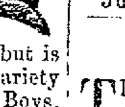
NO HUMBUG!

SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF THE DIAMOND.

THIS WAY FOR BARGAINS.

JOHN L. HOLTZWORTH, has just returned from the city with the largest and most complete assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,
BOOTS & SHOES,



that has been brought to this town since the war. His stock is not only complete, but is GOOD and CHEAP, embracing every variety of Boots and Shoes for Men and Boys, whilst the Ladies will find everything in their line, from the finest gaiter to the heaviest Shoe, Children's Shoes of every description in great variety. Also—Ladies' Hats, fine quality, and Children's Hats, of all styles and prices. Also, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, Umbrellas, Gloves, Stockings, Tobacco, Cigars, and Notions of every description.

☞Don't forget the place, south-east corner of the diamond, Gettysburg, Pa.

JNO. L. HOLTZWORTH.

April 11. tf

DR. ROBERT HORNER'S

NEW FAMILY DRUG & PRESCRIPTION STORE,

CHAMBERSBURG STREET, GETTYSBURG.

SOMETHING for every body to buy, at Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug and Variety Store. Just opened a fine assortment of

Drugs and Medicines,
Patent Medicines
Stationery
Fancy Dry Goods,
Confections,
Groceries,
Notions,

TOBACCO, SEGARS, &c.,

Young Men and Old Men,

DO not allow your mothers and your wives to wear out their precious lives over the old wash tub any longer but like true men and benefactors present them with an "Excelsior Washer," and instead of frowns and cross words on wash days, depend upon it cheerful faces will greet you.

TYSON & BRO.
Gettysburg, Pa.

Dec. 15.

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral,
AYER'S Sarsaparilla,
AYER'S PILLS,

for sale at Dr. R. HORNER'S new Drug Store.

Spectacles, Spectacles.

JOSEPH BEVAN, sign of the Watch and Spectacles, on York street, has now on hand a large assortment of Gold, Silver and Steel Spectacles, and is prepared to suit all who will favor him with a call.

N. B. Cash paid for old gold and silver.

May 27.

FRESH ARRIVAL.

JUST received a large supply of Spring and Summer Hats, the cheapest and best, considering the times—ever brought to Gettysburg. Call and see them at the cheap Shoe and Hat Store south-east corner of the Diamond.

JOHN L. HOLTZWORTH.

April 11.

CARD PHOTOGRAPHS, made at the Excelsior Gallery, are always warranted to give satisfaction,

Dec. 15. TYSON & BRO.

SAGO, Arrow Root, Corn Starch, Rice flour and Gelatin, for sale at
Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

Albums! Albums! Albums!

JUST received a large and beautiful assortment of Photograph Albums, which we offer below City prices.

Dec. 15. TYSON & BRO.

PURE BRANDY, GIN AND WHISKEY, for medical purposes only, at the New Drug Store of Dr. ROBERT HORNER

COAL, LUMBER,
STOVES, &C.

CHARLES H. BUEHLER

WOULD respectfully inform the public that he will continue the business lately conducted by the firm of SHEADS & BUEHLER, at the old stand, corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets. He will be prepared to furnish

THE BEST QUALITY OF COAL,

and every variety of LUMBER, including Doors, Shutters, Sash, &c. Also, every variety of Cooking stoves, among which are the Noble Cook, Royal Cook, Wellington, Waverly, Prince Royal, Ornamental Cook, &c. Also, Parlor, Dining Room, Saloon and Shop

STOVES.

Also, a variety of Tin and Sheet Iron ware, manufactured by the best workmen. Also, Hollow Ware of every variety, including a superior article of enamelled work. Indeed, every variety of Kitchen Ware will be kept constantly on hand.

Also, the far-famed "UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGER," for which he is the sole agent in this county.

He is also the agent for Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machines—the best in use.

April 11. C. H. BUEHLER.

Fresh Confectionery & Ice Cream Saloon.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Gettysburg and vicinity that he has a Confectionery Establishment, one door east of the Eagle Hotel, on Chambersburg street, to which he would invite their attention.

Cakes, Candies, and every description of Confections, together with Nuts, Oranges, and all kinds of fruits, always on hand.

Summer drinks, such as Meads, Pop, Mineral Water, and anything else intended to please the palate and refresh the system during the hot Summer months.

Parties, public and private, as well as families, will be furnished with all kinds of Cakes, Ice Cream, (in pyramidal form or otherwise,) and other refreshments at their houses, upon short notice.

Having spent a life-time at the business, he flatters himself that he understands it and that he is able to render entire satisfaction.

Call and see his Confectionery.

April 18, 1865. JOHN GRUEL.

Great Attraction at Brinkerhoff's

CHEAP Clothing and Furnishing Store, at the North-east corner of the Diamond, Gettysburg.

The subscriber is constantly receiving fresh Goods from the eastern cities. His stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING the largest and most attractive, and his establishment is the cheapest of the kind in the country. You will there find

COATS, PANTS AND VESTS,

made up in the most fashionable styles, and of the best materials, of all sizes and prices, for Men and Boys. Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, of every description, Woolen Shirts, Muslin Shirts, Hickory Shirts, and Merino Shirts, Merino, Wool and Cotton Drawers, Hosiery of every description. Buckskin Merino and Cotton Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Neck ties, Cravats, Linen and Paper Collars,

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Umbrellas, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Clothes and Shoe Brushes, Hair and Tooth Brushes, Shoe Blacking, Pocket and Dressing Combs, Ivory Combs, Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, Guns, Pistols, Violins, and Violin Strings, Soaps and Perfumery, Stationery of all kinds, Pocket Knives, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Pipes, an extra quality of Cigars, in short my stock embraces everything usually found in a first class Furnishing Store. I invite all to come and see for themselves as I am determined to sell goods lower than any other establishment in the country.

☞Don't forget the place. Corner of York street and the Diamond, in the old County Building on the corner.

July 5. JACOB BRINKERHOFF.

Hardware and Groceries.

THE subscribers have just returned from the cities with an immense supply of HARDWARE & GROCERIES, which they are offering at their old stand in Baltimore street, at prices to suit the times. Our stock consists in part of

BUILDING MATERIALS,
CARPENTER'S TOOLS,
BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS,
COACH FINDINGS,
SHOE FINDINGS,
CABINET MAKER'S TOOLS,
HOUSEKEEPER'S FIXTURES,
ALL KINDS OF IRON, &c.,

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS,

Oils, Paints, &c., &c. There is no article included in the several departments mentioned above but what can be had at this store.—Every class of Mechanics can be accommodated here with tools and findings, and Housekeepers can find every article in their line. Give us a call as we are prepared to sell as low for cash as any house out of the City.

JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.

Gettysburg, May 17.

Best White Lead! Best Zinc!

PURE LIBERTY LEAD,

Unsurpassed for Whiteness, Fine Gloss, Durability, Firmness and Evenness of Surface.

PURE LIBERTY LEAD—Warranted to cover more surface for same weight than any other Lead—Try it and you will have no other!

PURE LIBERTY ZINC,

elected Zinc, ground in Refined Linseed Oil, unequaled in quality, always the same.

PURE LIBERTY ZINC,

warranted to do more and better work at a given cost than any other—Get the best!—Manufactured at PENNSYLVANIA PAINT & COLOR WORKS. Orders executed promptly by

ZIEGLER & SMITH,
Wholesale Drug, Paint and Glass Dealers.

☞Store & Office, No. 137 North THIRD Street, PHILADELPHIA.

March 7.—1y.

RUSSEL'S SCREW POWER

AND THE

OHIO REAPER and MOWER,

BOTH COMBINED MACHINES.

THE subscriber is agent for the above machines. The Screw power has found a ready market since introduced in this County, and gives satisfaction, a fact to which many farmers will certify.

THE OHIO REAPER

has given satisfaction wherever used, over three thousand having been sold during the last season. The demand was so great the company intend putting out six thousand this season, which we consider the best recommendation for any machine. It is a cog-geared machine, said to be of very light draft, worked with ease with one span of horses. This machine, as a Reaper, can be worked with or without a rake. Farmers wishing to buy would do well to make their purchases early, as the demand will be great. Last season we were unable to supply the demand in consequence of persons making up their minds too late in the season. Extras always kept on hand. Specimen machines can be seen by calling on the subscriber, two miles northeast of Gettysburg, on the Harrisburg road. WM. WIBLE, Agent.

April 18, 1865.

100,000 Bushels Grain Wanted.

NEW FIRM AT THE OLD WAREHOUSE.

WM. E. BIDDLE & CO. would inform the public that they have leased the Warehouse on the corner of Stratton street and the Railroad, in Gettysburg, where they will carry on the GRAIN AND PRODUCE BUSINESS in all its branches. The highest prices will always be paid for

WHEAT, RYE,
CORN, OATS,
CLOVER & TIMOTHY SEED,
FLAXSEED, SUMAC,
HAY & STRAW;

Dried Fruit, Nuts, Soap, Hams, Shoulders and sides, Potatoes, with everything else in the country produce line.

ON HAND, FOR SALE,

Coffees, Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Teas, Spices, Salt, Cheese, Vinegar, Soda, Mustard, Starch, Brooms, Buckets, Blacking, Brushes, Soaps, &c. Also Coal Oil, Fish Oil, Tar, &c. Fish of all kinds; Nails and Spikes; Smoking and Chewing Tobaccos.

They are always able to supply a first rate article of Flour, with the different kinds of Feed.

Also, Ground Plaster, with Guanos and other fertilizers. ☞Coal, by the bushel, ton, or car load.

Their Cars run to Baltimore and back, twice a week, and they will be happy to carry goods either way at moderate charges. Marketmen, country merchants, and others, will find it to their advantage to patronize this line.

They ask a share of the public's custom, and will spare no effort to render satisfaction to all, sellers or buyers.

WM. E. BIDDLE & CO.

Aug. 30.—tf.

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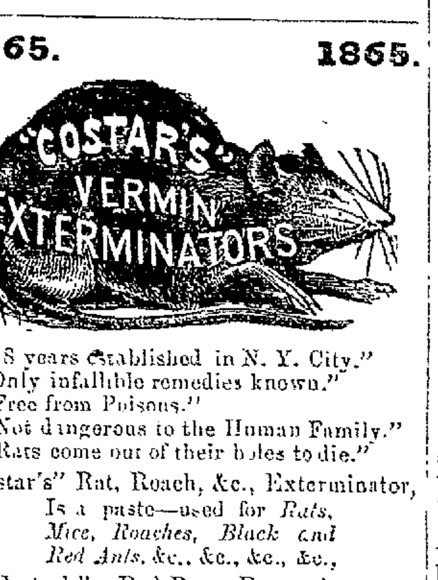

"18 years established in N. Y. City."
"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"Rats come out of their holes to die."

"Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator, Is a paste—used for *Rats, Mice, Roaches, Black and Red Ants*, &c., &c., &c., &c.,

"Costar's" Bed Bug Exterminator, Is a liquid or wash, used to destroy, and also as a preventative for Bed-Bugs, &c.

"Costar's" Electric Powder for Insects, Is for *Moths, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Bed Bugs, Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.*

☞Sold by all Druggists and Retailers everywhere.

☞!!! BEWARE!!! of all worthless imitations.

☞See that "COSTAR'S" name is on each Box, Bottle, and Flask, before you buy.

HENRY R. COSTAR.

☞Principal Depot, 482 Broadway, N. Y.

☞Sold by A. D. BUEHLER, and all Druggists and dealers at Gettysburg, Pa.

1865.

INCREASE OF RATS.—The Farmer's Gazette (English) asserts and proves by figures that one pair of rats will have a progeny and descendants no less than 651050 in three years. Now, unless this immense family can be kept down, they would consume more food than would sustain 65,000 human beings.

☞See "Costar's" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

RATS *versus* BIRDS.—Whoever engages in shooting small birds is a cruel man; whoever aids in exterminating *rats* is a benefactor. We should like some of our correspondents to give us the benefit of their experience in driving out these pests. We need something besides dogs, cats, and traps for this business.—*Scientific American, N. York.*

☞See "Costar's" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

HOUSEKEEPERS troubled with vermin need be so no longer, if they use "Costar's" Exterminator. We have used it to our satisfaction; and if a box cost $5, we would have it. We have tried poisons, but they effected nothing; but "COSTAR'S" article knocks the breath out of Rats, Mice, Roaches, and Bed bugs, quicker than we can write it. It is in great demand all over the country.—*Medina, Ohio, Gazette.*

☞See "Costar's" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

A VOICE FROM THE FAR WEST.—Speaking of "Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator—"more grain and provisions are destroyed annually in Grant county by vermin than would pay for tons of this Rat and Insect Killer."—*Lancaster, Wis., Herald.*

☞See "Costar's" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

FARMERS AND HOUSEKEEPERS—should recollect that hundreds of dollars' worth of grain, provisions, &c., are annually destroyed by Rats, Mice, Ants, and other insects and vermin—all of which can be prevented by a few dollars' worth of "Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator, bought and used freely.

☞See "Costar's" advertisement in this paper.

☞Sold by A. D. BUEHLER, and all other druggists in Gettysburg, Pa.

March 28.—6m.

Card Photographs,

OF distinguished individuals, including a number of our prominent Generals, and the Old Hero John L. Burns, for sale at the counter of the Excelsior Gallery, Gettysburg.

Dec. 15. TYSON & BRO.

Watches, Watches, Watches.

THE undersigned has just returned from the Cities with a new assortment of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, selected with particular care, and which he can sell at extremely LOW PRICES—warranting them to be Good time-keepers. Also an assortment of CHAINS, KEYS, &c.

Persons desirous of purchasing a good Watch, are requested to call and examine my assortment. JOSEPH BEVAN,
Sign of the Watch and Spectacles, on York street, Gettysburg.

Sept. 29.

GOOD CIDER.—Just received at DR. R HORNER'S Drug Store, the pure Sulphate of Lime for preserving cider. [Sept. 27

CIDER PRESSES and Apple Pealers, for sale by SHEADS & BUEHLER.

Aug. 23.

WE have just received a new assortment of Queensware, to which we invite the attention of buyers A. SCOTT & SON.

A. SCOTT & SON, are selling Cloths, Cassimeres, Cassinetts, Jeans, and all kinds of Domestic Goods cheap. Call and see!

DRAKE'S PLANTATION BITTERS or Old Homestead Tonic, at Dr. R HORNER'S Drug Store [Feb. 17.

Quaker City Business College

N. E. Corner of Tenth and Chestnut Sts.

PHILADELPHIA.

L. FAIRBANKS, A M, PRINCIPAL.

A MODEL BUSINESS COLLEGE.

THE only Commercial Institution in the State conducted upon an original and thoroughly practical system of ACTUAL BUSINESS TRAINING, its working principles having been arranged and perfected by the Principal upon a Model Plan, the merits of which have been fully tested and approved as the most useful and interesting mode of practical instruction ever devised, saving labor and time, and qualifying the Student in the most effective manner, to enter at once upon the duties of the Counting House, or any sphere of usefulness in active business life. The most complete establishment of the kind in the country.

The rooms occupied embrace the whole of the second story, and a portion of the third, in the large building corner of Tenth and Chestnut streets, and for convenience and elegance are unsurpassed. They are fitted up and furnished in the best and most substantial manner, and arranged with Business Offices, Counting Houses, Stationery Store, Telegraph Offices, and a Bank supplied with elegantly engraved lithographic notes, to be used by Students in the practical routine of business, which is carried on as systematically as in the best regulated commercial and financial establishments.

The system of instruction adopted, combining theory and practice in the most perfect manner, presents undisputed advantages over the merely theoretical methods of ordinary "commercial colleges."

THE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION

embraces Book-keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, Plain and Ornamental Penmanship, Business Correspondence, Commercial Law, Lectures on Business Affairs, Commercial Customs, Forms, &c., with their practical application, in all their details, in the various departments of trade and commerce; also, Algebra, and the Higher Mathematics, Phonography, the Art of detecting Counterfeit Money, Engineering, Surveying, Navigation and Telegraphing, constituting the most complete and comprehensive course ever adopted in any commercial institution.

Young men in all parts of the country who wish to qualify themselves for active business life, and secure good positions, are invited to send for the new Illustrated Circular and Catalogue, giving complete interior views of the College, and full particulars of terms, &c.

Aug. 2.—1y.

ADAMS COUNTY MUTUAL
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated March 18, 1851.

OFFICERS.

President—George Swope.
Vice President—S. R. Russell.
Secretary—D. A. Buehler.
Treasurer—E. G. Fahnestock.
Executive Committee—Robert McCurdy Andrew Heintzelman, Jacob King.

MANAGERS.

George Swope,	Gettysburg.
D. A. Buehler,	"
R. McCurdy,	"
D. McCreary,	"
M. Eichelberger,	"
S. R. Russell,	"
E. G. Fahnestock,	"
A. D. Buehler,	"
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Wm. B. Wilson,	Bendersville.
H. A. Picking,	Straban township.
John Wolford,	Latimore "
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Abel T. Wright,	Bendersville.
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J. H. Marshall,	Hamiltonban township.
Jno. Cunningham,	Freedom "
John Horner,	Mountjoy "

☞This Company is limited in its operations to the county of Adams. It has been in successful operation for more than 14 years, and in that period has made but one assessment, having paid losses by fire during that period amounting to $11,088—$6,769 of which have been paid during the last two years. Any person desiring an Insurance can apply to any of the above named Managers for further information.

☞The Executive Committee meets at the office of the Company on the last Wednesday in every month, at 2, P. M.

March 14.

Gettysburg Railroad.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after Monday, October 31st, 1864, Passenger Trains will leave and arrive on the Gettysburg Railroad as follows:

FIRST TRAIN will leave Gettysburg at 8, A. M., with passengers for York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia and the North and West.

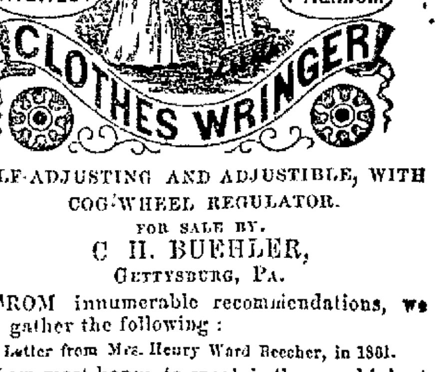
Arrive at Gettysburg at 1.25, P. M., with passengers from Baltimore, York and Harrisburg.

SECOND TRAIN will leave Gettysburg at 1.40, P. M., with passengers for Baltimore, York and Harrisburg

Arrive at Gettysburg at 6 P. M., with passengers from York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia and the North and West.

R. McCURDY, Pres't.

Nov. 1.



SELF-ADJUSTING AND ADJUSTIBLE, WITH COG-WHEEL REGULATOR.

FOR SALE BY,

C H. BUEHLER,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

FROM innumerable recommendations, we gather the following:

Letter from Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, in 1861.

I am most happy to speak in the very highest terms of the "UNIVERSAL CLOTHES-WRINGER." The hardest part of "washing day" work is in my opinion, the wringing; and the inventor of this machine may have the satisfaction of feeling that he has changed one of the most toilsome parts of woman's work into a very attractive amusement. The laundress looks upon upon it as a great blessing. I look upon it as among the most useful articles in the house.

BROOKLYN, October, 1861.

Price—$8.50.

May 3d, 1864.

Excelsior! Excelsior!!

THE Excelsior Washing Machine is the best in the world; call and examine it at once. Office at the Excelsior Gallery, Gettysburg. TYSON & BRO,

Dec. 15.

Interesting Historical Facts.

In 1734, the existing authorities in Florida, which were at that time Spanish, encouraged the negroes of South Carolina to leave their masters, and come into the Spanish colony. There were at that period about forty thousand slaves in South Carolina. Whatever were the inducements held out to the slaves, they were successful, and quite a large number became fugitive slaves. Between the two colonies, belonging to different governments, there was no fugitive slave law for their return. A regiment was organized, which was composed of these runaways. It was officered by Spaniards, but the negroes composing the rank and file wore the same uniform as the Spanish soldiers and received the same pay.

In November, 1775, the revolution having assumed a serious character, the British Governor of Virginia, Lord Dunmore, issued a proclamation in behalf of the royal interests, calling all classes of the King's subjects to rally to the standard. The most striking peculiarity, however, of the proclamation, is the special address to "indented persons, negroes and others," promising freedom to all who should espouse the cause of the king, and maintain it by force of arms. Freeing and arming the negroes was a war measure nearly a century ago, and that in Virginia, under British authority.

In connection with this it is curious to serve that in the some year, 1775, the Committee of Safety of Massachusetts decided that it was a contest for freedom, none but free men should be admitted into the army, and that slaves should not be received as soldiers, on the side of the colonies, on any consideration whatever. The argument for the exclusion of slaves was the same as that of the United States in opposing the late insurrection, when slaves were freed before they became soldiers.

Slavery has been a source of anxiety and trouble ever since it was introduced into this country. We hope it has got its quietus now, and forever. The question of a negro soldiery appears also to have been one of ancient consideration in the country with the same diversity of sentiment in relation to it that existed when it was renewed in the late rebellion. That too, we imagine, is a settled question.

AN EXAMPLE WORTHY TO BE FOLLOWED.—Rev. Dr. Palmer, of New Orleans, is celebrated for a sermon he preached there at the beginning of the war, stating that "their mission was to extend and conserve slavery as far as God and nature would permit." This sermon was extensively circulated in this city. A correspondent of the Boston Post says:

"Sunday Dr Palmer frankly told his people that they had all been wrong, and he the 'chief of sinners;' that they had been proud and haughty, disobedient, rebellious; that he himself had been humbled before God, and received merited chastisement; that they had been taught a good lesson of obedience to civil authority, and he hoped it would finally be received by them as the children of Christ, and laid up in their heart of hearts. His address was very touching, and dutifully received by the people, with whom he has great influence, and I have no doubt a man so strong as he, who is thus thoroughly subdued in the faith, has a great and good work before him."

☞President Johnson has determined that Jeff. Davis shall have an immediate and fair trial by a jury of his countrymen for his crimes. Some of the Cabinet are reported as objecting to this mode of procedure. Chief Justice Chase is expected in Washington in the course of a few days to consult with the President as to the time, the manner and the place of trial, and the ablest counsel in the country are being consulted on the subject. Charles O'Connor, of New York, will be assisted in the defence of Davis by Mr. Pugh, formerly Senator from Ohio. It is rumored in this city that Hon. Reverdy Johnson will be retained by the Goverument to assist in the prosecution.

ALTERING THE TEXT.—An anecdote is told of the Bishop of Exeter, England The scene is a church in Trequay; the Bishop is present, but not officiating, and he sits with the congregation. The officiating clergyman ventures to soften to ears polite the phrase "eat and drink their own damnation." He reads it "condemnation." A voice is heard energetically exclaiming, "Damnation!" The whole church is startled. But it is not a profane epithet they hear; it is the voice of the Bishop in rebuke of the officiating minister.

☞An Abolition Society exists in Spain, founded for the purpose of aiding in the abolition of slavery in every part of the world. Spain is one of the few countries which allows its dependencies to deal in human traffic; and there is no country in which a Society like this will find more profitable employment. They have a large task before them, but the judicious assaults they make upon this "established institution," show that they understand their work.

Married,

On the 21st of July, by Rev. David S. Monroe, Prof. WM. H. DILL, A. M., of Williamsport Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Pa., to Miss EDITH, only daughter of Jonathan Boynton, Esq., of Clearfield, Pa.

On the 14th inst., by Rev. J. A. Bell, Mr. RINEHART MILLER to Mrs. ANNIE HAHN, all of Buchanan Valley.

On the 23d ult., by Rev. Jacob Young, Mr. HENRY MASTER to Miss EMMA L. BASEHORE, both of the vicinity of Littlestown, Adams county.

Died,

On the 15th of Aug., after a long and severe illness, which he bore with patience and resignation, Mr. HENRY BRINKERHOFF, aged 75 years and 12 days. Our loss is his gain.

On the 18th inst., CLARA MEADE, daughter of Isaac A. Weikert, of Highland township, aged 2 years and 15 days.

On the 18th inst., ANNA CATHARINE, daughter of George Biesecker, of Franklin township, aged 1 month and 8 days.

On the 12th inst., in Hunterstown, SADIE A. daughter of Jesse and Jane A. McCreary, aged 7 years 9 months and 21 days.

On the 8th inst., MARY ELIZABETH SNYDER, aged 1 year and 14 days.

On the 28th ult., HOWARD, son of Conrad Spangler, aged 10 years 9 months and 25 days.

On the 23d ult., in Lafayette, Ind., of dysentery, NEVADA AUGUSTA, only child of Lavander and Mary J Biggs, and grand daughter of James and Hannah J. Linn, of Franklin township, Adams county, aged 11 months and 20 days.

On the 3d inst., at Hampton, in this county, Mr. FREDERICK NOEL, aged 55 years 8 months and 15 days.

A NOVEL CHOLERA TEST.—The doctors specially devoted to the care of cholera patients at Alexandria, have tried a curious experiment, the object of which is to ascertain whether that disease is caused by a peculiar state of the outward air, as has been supposed. They sent up two balloons, one from a village as yet untainted by the epidemic, and the other from Alexandria. A quarter of fresh beef was suspended to each balloon, which was allowed to float for a certain time in the air. On making these balloons descend the meat which had floated over Alexandria was completely putrified, whereas that which had been suspended over the healthy village was perfectly fresh. The quarters of beef had been cut off the same animal.

☞Ten thousand acres of land have been leased to negroes in the vicinity of Vicksburg, the present year. There are two hundred and fifty or three hundred leases, and most of them have formed partnerships with Northern men to procure the means of stocking and farming their lands.

☞The flesh which Philadelphia consumes in a week, consists of five thousand cattle, twelve to fifteen hundred sheep and lambs, and a proportionate amount of pork, veal and poultry.

Union County Convention.

The members of the Union Party of Adams county, and all others who have been acting with them, in their efforts to put down the Rebellion, and who in weal and woe have rallied round the flag—all who desire cordially to unite in sustaining the National and State Administrations in their patriotic efforts to restore the Union, that the sacrifices of our heroic defenders shall not have been a vain and fruitless effort—are requested to assemble in their respective districts, at their usual places of holding their Township and Borough Elections, on SATURDAY, AUGUST 26th, 1865, for the purpose of selecting Two Delegates from each District, to represent them in County Convention, to be held in the Court-house in the Borough of Gettysburg, on MONDAY, AUGUST 28th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to nominate a County Ticket, to be supported by the Union men of Adams county, at the General Election, to be held on the 2nd Tuesday of October next, and to transact such other business as may come before the Convention.

☞The time for holding the Delegate Elections in all the Districts will be between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock, P. M., except in the Boroughs of Gettysburg and Littlestown, where they will be held between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock, P. M.

By order of the County Committee.

D. A. BUEHLER, Ch'n.

JNO. T. MCILHENNY, Sec'y.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

EDITOR OF SENTINEL.—Dear Sir—With your permission, I wish to say to the readers of your paper that I will send, by return mail, to all who wish it (free) a recipe with full directions for making and using a simple Vegetable Balm, that will effectually remove, in ten days, Pimples, Blotches, Tan, Freckles, and all Impurities of the Skin, leaving the same soft, clear, smooth, and beautiful.

I will also mail free to those having Bald Heads or Bare Faces simple directions and information, that will enable them to start a full growth of Luxuriant Hair, Whiskers, or a Moustache, in less than thirty days.

These receipts are valuable to both old and young, and as they are mailed to all who need them free of charge, they are worthy the attention of all who prize a clear, pure skin, or a healthy growth of hair.

All applications answered by return mail, without charge. Respectfully yours,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
Chemist and Perfumer,
Aug. 15.—8t. No. 831 Broadway, N. Y.

TO DRUNKARDS.—Old Doctor Buchan's Drunkards' cure permanently eradicates the taste for strong drink, and cures the worst cases of drunkenness in less than eight weeks.

Thousands of reformed inebriates now live to bless the day they were fortunate enough to commence the use of this valuable remedy.—Price Two Dollars a package.

Mailed to any address on receipt of an order, by JAMES S. BUTLER,
429 Broadway, New York.
Aug. 15.—8t. Sole agent for the U. S.

THE GROVESTEEN PIANO FORTE still retains its precedence and great popularity, and after undergoing gradual improvements for a period of thirty years, is now pronounced by the musical world to be unsurpassed and even unequalled in richness, volume, and purity of tone, durability and cheapness. Our new scale French action, harp pedal, iron frame, over-strung bass, seven octave, rosewood pianos we are selling cheaper by from 100 to $200 than the same style and finish are sold by any other first-class makers in the country. Dealers and all in want of good pianos are invited to send for our Descriptive Catalogue, which contains photographs of our different styles, together with prices. No one should purchase a piano without seeing this Catalogue. Medals, almost without number, have been awarded to the Grovesteen Piano, and at the Celebrated World's Fair, though put in competition with others from all parts of Europe and the United States, it took the highest award.

[Established 1835.] GROVESTEEN & CO.,
Aug. 1.—1y. 429 Broadway, New York.

Dr. Marshall's Catarrh Snuff.

THIS Snuff has thoroughly proved itself to be the best article known for curing the Catarrh, Cold in the Head and Headache. It has been found an excellent remedy in many cases of Sore Eyes, Deafness has been removed by it, and hearing has often been greatly improved by its use.

It is fragrant and agreeable, and gives immediate relief to the dull heavy pains caused by diseases of the head. The sensations after using it are delightful and invigorating.—It opens and purges out all obstructions, strengthens the glands, and gives a healthy action to the parts affected. More than thirty years of sale and use of Dr. Marshall's Catarrh and Headache Snuff, has proved its great value for all the common diseases of the head, and at this moment stands higher than ever before.

It is recommended by many of the best physicians, and is used with great success and satisfaction everywhere. Read the certificates of wholesale Druggists in 1864.

The undersigned having for many years been acquainted with Dr. Marshall's Catarrh and Headache Snuff, and sold it in our wholesale trade, cheerfully state, that we believe it to be equal, in every respect, to the recommendations given of it for the cure of Catarrh Affections, and that it is decidedly the best article we have ever known for all common diseases of the head.

Barr & Perry, Reed, Anston & Co., Brown, Lamson & Co., Reed, Cutler & Co., Seth W. Fowle, Wilson, Fairbank & Co., Henshaw, Edmand & Co., New York; H. H. Hay, Portland, Maine; Barnes & Park, A. B. & D. Sands, Stephen Paul & Co., Israel Minor & Co., McKesson & Robbins, A. L. Scovil & Co., M. Ward, Close & Co., Bush & Gale, New York.

For Sale by all Druggists. Try it.
Nov. 15.—1y

The Markets.

GETTYSBURG—MONDAY LAST.

Superfine Flour	$8 50 to 8 50
Red Wheat	1 40 to 1 50
White Wheat	1 60
Corn	90
Rye	75
Rye Flour	5 00
Buckwheat	1 25
Clover Seed	8 00
Timothy Seed	4 00
Flax Seed	1 50
Barley	75
Oats	35

BALTIMORE—MONDAY LAST.

Flour	$8 25 to 8 50
Wheat	1 90 to 2 40
Rye	75 to 80
Corn	85 to 90
Oats	48 to 52
Hay (in Bundles)	15 00 to 16 00

Gettysburg Female Institute.

MRS. EYSTER, PRINCIPAL.

THE next Session of this Institution will commence on the first MONDAY of SEPTEMBER, (September 4th.)

TERMS OF TUITION.

Pupils under 12 years of age $10 00
" over 12 " " 15.00

Latin $4 00 extra per session.

Music and Drawing at the usual rates.

☞For particulars inquire of the Principal, High Street, Gettysburg, Pa. [Aug. 22.—2t.

Miss Mary McClellan

WILL resume the exercises of her School on MONDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER NEXT. The School will be divided into TWO SESSIONS instead of four quarters as heretofore. No change of terms. No deduction made for absence except in case of protracted sickness. [Aug. 22.—2t.

DR. JAMES CRESS,

LATE ASSISTANT SURGEON U. S. ARMY,

HAVING returned home, will resume the practice of his profession in Gettysburg and vicinity. Office in York street, next door to Boyer's Grocery Store.

Aug. 22.—3t*

Pennsylvania College

AND

ITS PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

THE Exercises of this Institution, located at Gettysburg, Pa., will be resumed on the 21ST OF SEPTEMBER. The Preparatory Department, re-organized by the Board of Trustees at their late meeting, will be under the Principalship of the Rev. C. J. EHRHART, who will devote himself to the welfare of its pupils.

Arrangements are in progress to erect a suitable building for the exclusive use of this Department. In the meantime, provision has been made to lodge and board such boys as may be committed to the Principal's charge, in the College edifice, in which he will temporarily reside. This school, located in a moral and intelligent community, and surrounded by historic associations that are imperishable, presents advantages for the acquisition of knowledge, which are scarcely surpassed anywhere. Parents sending their sons hither, may rest assured that they will receive every care and attention requisite to their comfort and improvement.

Tuition $12 per session of 13 weeks. The price of Boarding will be made as reasonable as possible. For further particulars address

D. A. BUEHLER,
Aug. 22. Secretary of Board.

TWO VALUABLE FARMS

AT PUBLIC SALE.

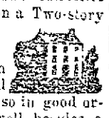
ON WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of SEPTEMBER next, in pursuance of the Will of PETER TROSTLE, deceased, the following Real Estate will be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, viz:

No. 1. THE HOME FARM, containing 152 Acres, more or less, situate in Straban township, Adams county, one mile and a half east of Gettysburg, on the York Turnpike, adjoining lands of Joseph Wible, Henry Eckert, and others, improved with a new Two story

BRICK HOUSE,

Bank Barn, Corn Crib, Wagon Shed, Carriage House, Spring House, Wash House, Smoke House, Hog Pen, &c., all in good order, a never failing well and spring of water, both near the house; with a good Apple Orchard and all other kinds of fruit. The land has been limed, and is under good cultivation and good fencing. This Farm is one of the best in the county, being granite soil, equal to limestone. Water in nearly all the fields. About 25 acres are Meadow, and between 30 and 35 are Woodland.

No. 2. A FARM, containing 112 Acres, more or less, adjoining lands of John Rummel, Daniel Spangler, and others, situate in the same township, and about two and a half miles from Gettysburg, having thereon a Two-story stone



DWELLING HOUSE,

Bank Barn, Corn Crib, Wagon Shed, Carriage House, Wash and Smoke House Hog Pen, &c., also in good order. There is a never-failing well, besides a spring, near the buildings, and a stream of water through the farm; an Apple Orchard and all other fruit on the premises. The land has been limed, and is under good cultivation and good fencing. About 18 acres are Meadow, and about 30 acres Woodland.

These are very desirable properties, and persons wanting good farms should not fail to attend the sale. Those wishing to view them are requested to call on the Executor, residing in the same township.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

DANIEL STALLSMITH,
Aug. 22. Acting Executor.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, Administrator of GEORGE B. MILLER, deceased, will expose to Public Sale, at the late residence of said deceased, in Huntington township, Adams county, about two miles west of Petersburg, on TUESDAY THE 19TH OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following Personal Property, to wit:

1 HORSE, 1 Cow, 1 Heifer, 1 Sheep, Rockaway Buggy, Winnowing-mill, Plough, Double Shovel Plough, Harrow, Double and Single Trees, Forks and Rakes, a Sleigh, Saddle and Bridle, set of Harness, 1 one-horse wagon, 16 Posts, a lot of Cooper-stuff, Staves and Heading, Wheelbarrow, Grindstone, Pick, Shovel and Hoes, Barrels, Tubs and Buckets, 2 Crowbars, Maul, Axe and Wedge, Cross-cut Saw, Saws, Post Augers, lot of Cooper Tools, Bracebits and Chisels, Sleigh-bells, Bags, 40 rails, with a great variety of other articles too numerous to mention.

Also, at the same time and place, in pursuance of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county:

17 Acres of Land,

the late residence of deceased. The improvements are a

LOG HOUSE,

with a Kitchen attached, a small Barn; a good young Orchard; a spring of never-failing water near the house.

☞Attendance given and terms made known by MICHAEL MILLER, Adm'r.

By the Court—J. J. FINK, Clerk.
Aug. 22.

Notice.

LETTERS testamentary on the estate of JACOB STARNER, of Union township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN KRUMBINE,
Aug. 22.—6t. Executor.

LOT AND MILL

AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscribers, Executors of LEVI GRIEST, late of Menallen township, Adams county, deceased, will expose to Public Sale, on SATURDAY THE 16TH OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, the following Real Estate of said deceased:

A Lot of 23 Acres,

near Henry Eppleman's Mill, in Menallen township, on which are erected a

FULLING AND CARDING MILL,

A two-story weather-boarded HOUSE, TWO BARNS, and other Out-Houses; a good spring of water, with a Spring-house; a well with a pump in it, near one of the Barns. It is a very eligible situation for Fulling and Carding, and well worth the attention of any person wishing to engage in that business. Also, a variety of DYE-STUFFS. Also,

A TRACT OF WOOD-LAND,

on Wolf-pit Hill, containing 22 Acres and 136 Perches, of excellent Timber, of various kinds. It adjoins lands of Widow Group, Solomon Bender, and others.

☞Attendance will be given, and terms made known by the undersigned, who will show the property to any one desiring to see it.

JOEL GRIEST,
MOSES SMITH,
Aug. 22. Executors.

Town Property at Private Sale.

THE subscribers offer at Private Sale, the Mansion Property of George Codori, deceased, consisting of

A LOT OF GROUND,

fronting on West Middle street, Gettysburg, adjoining lots of Mrs. Elizabeth Minnigh on the west, George Little on the east, and having an alley in the rear. The improvements are a one and a half story

DWELLING HOUSE,

part frame, part brick, Smoke House, well of water, Frame Stable, with some trees of choice fruit. The property is in an eligible situation, with the advantage of a good site for a building on the western half of said lot.

M. & W. McCLEAN,
Attornies for the Heirs of Geo. Codori, dec.
Aug. 22.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

ON pursuance of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, on SATURDAY, the 16th day of SEPTEMBER next, the following described real estate of George W. Schriver, deceased, to wit:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in the Borough of Gettysburg, on South Baltimore street, adjoining lots of James Pierce on the north, Henry Garlach on the south, and an alley on the west. The improvements are a new Two-story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,

with a Basement, a Ten pin Alley about 80 feet in length, with some Fruit Trees.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRIETTA SCHRIVER, Adm'x.
By the Court—JAMES J. FINK, Clerk.
Aug. 22.

State Arms.

TO CAPTAINS OF HOME GUARDS.—The Commissioners of Adams county have received notice from the Quartermaster General of the State, that all the Arms and Accoutrements issued to Home Guards in 1861, be immediately collected and forwarded to his office at Harrisburg. In pursuance of this, the Commissioners call upon all the Captains of Home Guards who have not yet returned the Arms and Accoutrements they drew at that time, to do so WITHOUT DELAY. Should it be impossible for Captains to return all the arms for which they made themselves responsible, they will be required to give a satisfactory explanation for every article lost. Without a prompt compliance, the bonds of Captains will be forfeited.

By order of the Commissioners.

J. M. WALTER, Clerk.
Aug. 22.—3t.

List of Letters,

REMAINING in the Gettysburg Post Office August 22, 1865.

Bender Solomon	Miller, Mrs Lizzie
Brinkerhoff Marg't	Sadler Henry C
Bushman John	Shriver, Anna M 2
Carson Lt G C	Steinour Cornelius
Hoy Samuel	Taylor Mrs Dr Wm 2
Horn Gen John W	Topper Jacob B
Jones Annie S	Watson Wm T
Keyfor William	Will W J
Logan Ida	

Persons calling for the above letters will say that they have been advertised.

D. A. BUEHLER, P. M.

Immense Sale of Watches!

SPECIAL REDUCTION OF PRICES!!

A LARGE Importing house closing business, offers a fine assortment of cheap Gold, Silver and Composition cased Watches at Cost.

Silver hunting Lepines of pure Coin Silver, very pretty time pieces, and warranted to run, and keep good time. Price $15; per case of 6 $75.

Silver hunting Levers, full engraved both by hand and engine turning. The movement is warranted full jeweled and accurate. Price $25; per case of six $125.

☞All orders receive prompt attention.

Address T. DANIELS & CO.,
Aug. 22.—6t. 129 Spring St., N. Y.

Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of WILLIAM N. HELLER, of Menallen township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

WM W. BLOCHER,
Aug 1.—6t* Administrator.

Wanted,

AN active, energetic business man to take the agency for this county of a first-class Life Insurance Company.

Address, Box 2224 P. O.
July 25. Philadelphia.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.—Sufferers with Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, will be cheerfully furnished, without charge, with the remedy by the use of which the Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, of Williamsburg, New York, was completely restored to health, after having suffered several years with that dread disease, Consumption.—To Consumptive sufferers, this remedy is worthy of an immediate trial. It will cost nothing, and may be the means of their perfect restoration. Those desiring the same will please address REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, 165 South Second Street, Williamsburg, Kings County, New York. [Aug. 1.—6t

WHISKERS! WHISKERS!—Do you want Whiskers or Moustaches? Our Grecian Compound will force them to grow on the smoothest face or chin, or hair on bald heads, in Six Weeks. Price, 1.00. Sent by mail anywhere, closely sealed, on receipt of price.

Address, WARNER & CO., Box 186, Brooklyn, N. Y. [Feb. 14.—1y.

DEAFNESS, Blindness and Catarrh, treated with the utmost success, by Dr. J. ISAACS, Oculist and Aurist, [formerly of Leyden, Holland,] No. 519 Pine Street, Philadelphia. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the City and County can be seen at his Office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial Eyes inserted without pain. No charge made for examination. [June 28.—1y.

HOUSE AND LOT

AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at Public Sale, on SATURDAY the 23d day of SEPTEMBER, 1865, at 1 o'clock, P. M.,

A House and Lot

OF ABOUT

13 ACRES OF GROUND,

situate in Menallen township, 8 miles west of Bendersville, adjoining lands of John Walbey, John Wenk and others. The House is of Log, Weatherboarded; there is a DOUBLE LOG BARN, and other out-buildings; a spring of water near the house. There is a good bearing

APPLE ORCHARD,

Also, a Young Orchard of Apple and Peach.

☞Any person wishing to view the premises, will be shown the same by the undersigned, residing thereon. Attendance given by

WM. W. BLOCHER.
Aug. 15.

PUBLIC SALE.

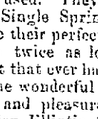
WILL be exposed to Public Sale, at the late residence of WM. N. HELLER, deceased, in Menallen township, about 5 miles west of Bendersville, on SATURDAY the 23d day of SEPTEMBER, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following Property, to wit:

1 MARE, 7 head of Sheep, 4 Hogs, 1 three-horse Wagon, 2 sets of Horse Gears, 2 Riding Saddles and Bridles, Halters and Halter Chains, Wheat Fan, Cutting-box, Shovel Plough, Corn Fork, Harrow, Grain Cradle, Grindstone, 2 pair Bedsteads, 1 Chest, 1 Cut Rifle, 8,000 Chestnut Shingles, (at Solomon Beamer's Mill,) a lot of 2 inch Plank, and a great variety of other articles.

☞Attendance given, and terms made known by WM. W. BLOCHER,
Aug. 15. Administrator.

A Small Farm at Public Sale.

THE subscribers offer at PUBLIC SALE, *on Saturday, September 2d*, 1865, at 2 o'clock, P. M., their Farm, situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, containing 16 ACRES, more or less, adjoining lands of Jacob Hershey, William Allison, and others, on the road leading from the Mummasburg Turnpike to the Newville State Road. The improvements are a two story



FRAME HOUSE,

part roughcast, part weatherboarded, frame Barn, Corn-crib, Wagon shed, well of water, with a pump in it, near the door, also a good spring, and two excellent Orchards, with a great variety of Fruit trees. The fencing is nearly all of chestnut rails. There is a quantity of good Meadow.

The property will be shown to any one desirous of purchasing, by the Widow residing thereon.

Widow & Heirs of SAM'L GALLAGHER, dec'd.
Aug. 15.—3t.

SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTICE.

I WILL examine Teachers at the following named places, to wit:

Straban, Hunterstown,	Aug. 19, 9 a. m.
Reading and Hampton, Hampton,	Aug. 24, 10 a. m.
Hamilton, East Berlin,	Aug. 25, 9 a. m.
Berwick bor., Abbottstown,	Aug. 25, 3 p. m.
Berwick twp., Lider's S. H.,	Aug 26, 9 a. m.
Oxford, New Oxford,	Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Latimore, State Road, S. H.,	Aug 28, 10 a. m.
Huntington, Petersburg,	Aug. 29, 9 a. m.
Tyrone, Biddlesburg,	Aug. 30, 9 a. m.
Menallen, Bendersville,	Aug. 31, 9 a. m.
Butler, Middletown,	Sept. 1, 9 a. m.
Franklin, Hilltown,	Sept. 2, 9 a. m.
Freedom, Moritz's S. H.,	Sept. 4, 10 a. m.
Highland, Church S. H.,	Sept. 5, 10 a. m.
Hamiltonban Fairfield,	Sept. 6, 10 a. m.
Liberty, Grayson's S. H.,	Sept. 7, 10 a. m.
Mountpleasant, Valley S. H.,	Sept. 8, 9 a. m.
Mountjoy, Two Taverns,	Sept. 9, 9 a. m.
Conewago, McSherrystown,	Sept. 11, 9 a. m.
Union, Schildt's S. H.,	Sept 11, 2 p. m.
Germany and Littlestown, Littlestown,	Sept. 12, 9 a. m.
Cumberland, Pitzer's S. H.,	Sept. 16, 9 a. m.

☞All are invited to attend. Private examinations will not be granted.

AARON SHEELY, Co. Sup't.
Gettysburg, Aug. 10, 1865.

The Adams County Agricultural Fair.

THE GROUNDS.

THE Managers of the Adams County AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, have the pleasure of announcing to the public that the FAIR will be held at the BENDERSVILLE GROUNDS, on TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 19th, 20th and 21st days of September next. Until that time the Grounds will be open to all, (subject to the regulations of the Managers) on the FIRST and THIRD SATURDAYS of each month, for exercising and training horses, and for pleasure driving. The public are invited to bring along their fast horses and fancy horses to develope their muscle and exhibit their activity and metal on the turf. Gentlemen, bring with you your wives, your daughters and acquaintances. Upon the Ladies, to a great degree, depends our success. If they will participate and assist, we feel certain that the Fair will excel any one previously held, and be an occasion of which the people of Adams County may be proud. These occasions will divert the mind from the regular routine of every day life and be conducive to health and strength.

Also, at 2 o'clock, P. M., of each of the above days, the Board will meet at their office on the Fair Grounds, for the transaction of business appertaining to the Fair. And at 6 o'clock, P. M., on each of the said days, discussions will be opened on Agricultural subjects, which will also be held on the Fair Grounds. The public generally, and especially the Ladies, are invited to be present and participate in these discussions, which are intended for the diffusion of knowledge on the subjects of Farming, Gardening, Fruit Growing, &c.

HIRAM GRIEST, Pres't.
WM. B. WILSON, Sec'y.
Aug. 8.

FORWARDING BUSINESS.

CULP & EARNSHAW'S LINE.

HAVING purchased the Warehouse and Cars heretofore owned by Samuel Herbst, the undersigned take pleasure in announcing to the public that they will run a

LINE OF FREIGHT CARS

from Gettysburg to Baltimore every week.—They are prepared to convey freight either way, in any quantity. They will attend, if desired, to the making of purchases in the city, and delivering the goods promptly at Gettysburg. Their Cars run to the Warehouse of STEVENSON & SONS, 165 North Howard street, (near Franklin) Baltimore, where freight will be received at any time. They invite the attention of the public to their line, assuring them that they will spare no effort to accommodate all who may patronize them.

☞Having purchased the Buildings and Lot on the Northeast corner of Railroad and North Washington streets, Gettysburg, their Depot will remain there. Any persons having business in the forwarding line are respectfully invited to call.

CULP & EARNSHAW
Aug. 8.

Bendersville Fair Grounds.

IN view of the coming FAIR, which is to be held on the 19th, 20th, and 21st of September, the Society would announce to the public that the Fair Grounds will be open until that time, on the FIRST and THIRD SATURDAYS of each month, for persons who wish to enter their stock during the Fair. The course has been put in order for driving, practice and pleasure. By order of the Board,

HIRAM GRIEST, President.
Aug. 1.

GO to Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store, and get his Medicated Cough Candy.

CALICOES, as low as 12½ cents, at FAHNESTOCK'S.

For Sale,

TWO choice FARMS in the immediate neighborhood of Gettysburg. Buildings and land good. GEORGE ARNOLD.
Aug. 15.—tf.

For Sale,

A Valuable MILL Property, on Marsh Creek, with 40 Acres of Choice Granite Meadow Bottom, 5 miles west of Gettysburg.
Aug. 15—tf. GEO. ARNOLD.

Wanted,

A FARM in Adams county, for which I will exchange choice Western Lands, at a fair price GEO. ARNOLD.
August 8.

A Most Important Discovery!

INTERESTING TO AGENTS, FARMERS, AND LADIES.

WE are making a single machine which combines the best and cheapest portable Wine and Cider Press the dryest Clothes Wringer, and the most powerful Lifting Jack in the world. It is the only press adapted to making Apple Champagne, which is now regarded as one of the most important discoveries of the age. A good agent wanted in every county, to whom we will hold out such inducements as to insure $1000 before Christmas. The first one making application from any county shall have the exclusive agency. Full particulars, terms, etc., by Circular. Address

HALL, REED & CO.,
Aug. 15. No. 55 Liberty St., N. Y.

NEW SKIRT FOR 1865-6.

THE GREAT INVENTION OF THE AGE IN

HOOP SKIRTS.

J. W. BRADLEY'S NEW PATENT DUPLEX ELLIPTIC (OR DOUBLE) SPRING SKIRT.

THIS Invention consists of Double (or two) Elliptic Pure Refined Steel Springs, ingeniously braided tightly and firmly together, edge to edge, making the toughest, most flexible, elastic and durable Spring ever used. They seldom bend or break, like the Single Springs, and consequently preserve their perfect and beautiful Shape more than twice as long as any Single Spring Skirt that ever has or can be made.

The wonderful flexibility and great comfort and pleasure to any Lady wearing the Duplex Elliptic Skirt will be experienced particularly in all crowded Assemblies, Operas, Carriages, Railroad Cars, Church Pews, Arm Chairs, for Promenade and House Dress, as the Skirt can be folded when in use to occupy a small place as easily and conveniently as a Silk or Muslin Dress.

A Lady having enjoyed the Pleasure, Comfort and Great Convenience of wearing the Duplex Elliptic Steel Spring Skirt for a single day will never afterwards willingly dispense with their use. For Children, Misses and Young Ladies they are superior to all others.

The hoops are covered with 2 ply double twisted thread and will wear twice as long as the Single yarn covering which is used on all Single Steel Hoop Skirts. The three bottom rods on every Skirt are also Double Steel, and twice or double covered to prevent the covering from wearing off the rods when dragging down stairs, stone steps, &c., &c., which they are constantly subject to when in use.

All are made of the new and elegant Corded Tapes, and are the best quality in every part, giving to the wearer the most graceful and perfect Shape possible, and are unquestionably the lightest, most desirable, comfortable and economical Skirt ever made.

WESTS, BRADLEY & CARY, Proprietors of the Invention, and Sole Manufacturers, 97 Chambers, and 79 & 81 Reade Streets, New York.

For Sale in all first class Stores in this City, and throughout the United States and Canada, Havana de Cuba, Mexico, South America, and the West Indies.

☞Inquire for the Duplex Elliptic (or double) Spring Skirt. A. & C.
Aug. 15.—3m.

250,000

Watches, Chains, Diamond Rings, &c.

Worth Over $1,000,000.

ALL to be sold for One Dollar each, without regard to value. Not to be paid for until you know what you are to receive.

Splendid List of Articles. All to be sold for $1 each.

250 Solid Silver Dining Set	$75 to $300
500 Silver Salvers and Urns	50 to 250
500 Solid Silver Tea Sets complete	50 to 300
150 Rosewood Mus'l Boxes, 32 airs	75 to 250
200 Mahogany Mus'l Boxes, 24 airs	50 to 200
250 Gold Hunting Watches	75 to 250
250 Ladies Enml'd Gold Watches	50 to 200
500 Gents' Hunting Silv'r Watches	35 to 100
500 Open face Silver Watches	25 to 50
250 Diamond Rings	50 to 100
5,000 Photo. Albums, all sizes	5 to 50
2,000 Gold Vest and Neck Chains	15 to 30
3,000 Gold Oval Band Bracelets	5 to 10
5,000 Chased Gold Bracelets	6 to 12
2,000 Charelaine and Guard Chains	5 to 20
7,000 Solitaire & Revol'g Brooches	5 to 10
2,000 Lava & Florentine do	4 to 10
5,000 Coral, Opal & Emerald do	4 to 10
5,000 Mosaic, jet and lava Eardrops	4 to 10
7,500 Coral and Emerald do	3 to 4
5,000 California Diamond Pins	6 to 20
5,000 Cal Cluster Diamond Pins	3 to 10
3,000 sets Solitaire Buttons & Studs	3 to 10
3,000 Gold Thimbles, Pencils, &c	3 to 8
10,000 Lockets, double-glass	3 to 5
5,000 Lockets for Minatures	5 to 10
3,000 Gold Tooth Picks, Crosses, &c	3 to 8
5,000 plain Gold Rings	4 to 10
5,000 chased Gold Rings	4 to 10
10,000 Shield and Signet Rings	3 to 10
10,000 California Diamond Rings	3 to 10
7,500 sets Ladies' Jewelry, jet	5 to 10
5,000 sets Ladies' Jewelry, coral	8 to 12
5,000 sets Ladies' Jewelry, onyx	10 to 15
5,000 sets Ladies' Jewelry, lava	12 to 20
2,500 sets Ladies' Jewelry, mosaic	20 to 30
10,000 Gold Pens with Sil. holders	5 to 10
5,000 Gold Pens with

The Last Murder by Rail.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., August 15.—An extra freight train was sent up the Housatonic Road this afternoon. By an accident to the cylinder of the engine, the freight train stopped on the track, near the paper mill at Trumbull, about three miles from this city. A flag was sent back on the track, by the conductor of the freight train, to warn the passsenger train of the danger. When the latter train came up it hitched on to the freight, and was slowly drawing it back to Bridgeport at the rate of about eight miles an hour. When near the Pequennock mills the train was met by a new locomotive, coming up the track on a trial. At a curve on the road the new engine came suddenly in collision with the train backing down.

Several of the cars were entirely demolished, the engine going literally through the rear passenger car. Seven persons, three of them ladies, were instantly killed and twenty more fatally wounded, and several more slightly wounded. Very many were scalded by the steam issuing from the the locomotive boiler.

The engine cut straight into the car, tearing and rending all before it, and stopping almost at the extreme forward part of it. One man, unknown, was impaled through the bowels on some portion of the machinery, and wedged so tightly in this horrible situation on the hot engine as to render it impossible to remove him. Of course he wss dead. The escaping steam scalded a number of the wounded passengers horribly.

The scene at the place of slaughter is described as horrible. The car and engine were a complete wreck, from which the wounded and dying were taken in a helpless condition. The only house near by was a small one belonging to a German.—The wounded who could help themselves or be helped were taken to the shade of the woods close at hand. At about noon a wrecking train was dispatched to the scene of accident, conveying Drs Hubbard, Nash and Burrett, to attend to the injured. We hope there will be a rigid examination into the causes of this *murder*, for it is nothing else, and on the head of some person or persons rests the responsibility of this fearful crime. "Nobody to blame" will not answer now. The accident is the result of criminal and culpable carelessness.

The Progress of Emancipation.

By recent arrivals from Brazil we learn that an active movement, headed by Silviera da Motta, has been organized in the Brazilian Senate for the gradual extinction of slavery in the country. The largest slaveholders are most active in the matter, and the probabilities seem to be that the bill framed to accomplish this object would become a law. The proposed process is gradual, and will avoid any social change.—The main features of the bill introduced are that the vagrant slaves shall no longer be sold to new masters, but shall be free if not claimed in three months; that in ten years all slaves over twenty five years old shall be free; that in fifteen years slavery shall cease to exist in Brazil, and that provision shall be made in every parish for the aged and infirm. The number of slaves in Brazil is estimated at 3,000,000.

From another quarter of the globe we have the intimation of the adoption of a similar policy. By the last steamer from Europe we learn that King Louis, of Portugal, when closing the Cortes, promised a strict law for the final abolition of negro slavery within his dominions. This actually means in his colonial possessions—in the Cape de Verd Islands, Madeira and St Thomas; in the Azores; in Senegal, Angola, Guinea, and Mozambique; in the East Indies; in the Indian Archipelago; and at Macao, in China. The whole of this colonial population exceeds three millions and a half.

SENILITY POSTPONED.—The Xenia (O.) Torchlight, of the 8th, gives the following:

Yesterday morning Rev P. C. Prugh united in matrimony Mr. Benjamin Eyler, aged eighty five years, to Mrs Anna Gray, in her seventy fifth year. The happy couple are both residents of this city. They had made due and deliberate preparations for "beginning life" by procuring a house and furnishing it some time before the marriage ceremony occurred. At the appointed hour yesterday morning, the bride and groom repaired to their new home, summoned Mr. Prugh, and there become one, "for better or worse." They wisely concluded that they had no time to waste on a billing and cooing wedding tour, and accordingly went straightway to housekeeping.

Mr. Eyler, although in his eighty fifth year, retains a wonderful amount of muscular power. During the past year he has chopped one hundred cords of wood, split six hundred and fifty rails, made 4,840 clapboards and rived 3,000 cooper's staves. Nor is his bride much inferior in vital activity. Now seventy five years old, she is still active and vigorous—frequently walking two or three miles in one day with little fatigue. It is also said that she rides on horseback with singular gracefulness and ease.

KANSAS AFFAIRS.—Five thousand acres of land were entered under the homestead act, at the Junction City land office, in Kansas, during the month of July; also, about twenty four thousand acres filed on under the pre emption law. A greater portion of the homestead entries were eighty acre tracts on the proposed line of railroad. The Republican, Smoky Hill, Saline and Solomon Valleys, are capable of sustaining an immense population. Kansas will pay a revenue to Government this year of about two millions of dollars. The receipts for toll on the bridge across Kansas River are about $3,000 per month—the bridge cost $40,000—thus paying for itself in about one year.

☞Affairs on both the Texan and Mexican sides of the Rio Grande were quiet at the date of latest advices. Two colored soldiers were executed at Brownsville on the 29th ult, for outrages on females. An entire division of the Twenty fifth Corps (col.) paraded on the occasion, and the appearance, discipline and deportment of the troops formed the theme of enthusiastic commendation on the part of both Mexican and Texan spectators, great numbers of whom were present. Cortinas, with his force of Republicans, still hovered around Matamoras, but had yet made no further attack on the town, and it was not supposed that he would, his numbers being too insignificant.

THE ADAMS SENTINEL.

GETTYSBURG:

Tuesday, August 22, 1865.

STATE TICKET.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL:

Maj. Gen. JOHN F. HARTRANFT,

of Montgomery county.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL:

Col. JACOB M. CAMPBELL,

of Cambria county.

☞Monterey Springs were sold last week to Mr. Henry Yingling, of Hagerstown, for $10-000.

☞A telegraph line between Gettysburg and Waynesboro' is soon to go up.

☞Mr. George Spangler has sold his Farm in Freedom township, to Mr. Levi Snyder, of Carroll county, Md.—100 acres, for $3,200, cash.

☞Mr. Frank Muhlenberg, of Lancaster, was horribly stabbed and cut on Friday night week, by burglars who entered his room. He is out of danger.

☞Rev. Dr HAY has accepted the Professorship in the Theological Seminary—has resigned his charge—and will remove to Gettysburg in the course of a few weeks. Rev. Mr. VALENTINE, the other Professor elect, has also accepted, but will not enter upon the discharge of his duties until next Spring.

☞Rev. Mr. EHREHART has accepted the position of Principal of Preparatory Department of Pennsylvania College, and is preparing to take charge of that important position at the beginning of next session.

☞We call attention to the notices of Mrs. EYSTER, and Miss MCCLELLAN, who are about resuming their select schools.—Both stand deservedly high in the estimation of the public, and we are pleased to find that both are very handsomely sustained.

Preparatory Department in Pennsylvania College.

A notice in regard to this Department will be found in another column. It gives us much pleasure to know that the Trustees of the College have taken hold of the matter with renewed energy and highly commendable zeal; and we have not a doubt that the Institution will take a fresh start, and place herself alongside of the great seminaries of the land. The selection of Prof. EHREHART as Principal of the Preparatory Department is an indication of progress, as his high qualifications are well known, and cannot but add reputation to the department over which he presides. The whole proceedings of the Trustees at their late session, by choosing additional Professors, &c, is clear evidence that they are in earnest, and that Pennsylvania College is destined to make her mark in the land.

A Relic.

One of the visitors to the Battle field on Thursday, a gentleman from New York, picked up, on Culp's Hill, a Land Turtle marked "Co A, 102d N Y." It was a relic of peculiar interest, as the marking was no doubt done by a New York soldier at the time of the battle. Its possessor was highly delighted, and valued the turtle almost beyond price. He took it to the Empire State with him, where it will become a "pet" of "C. A. 102d."

Sunday School Pic nics.

The German Reformed Sabbath School had a Pic Nic at Spangler's Spring on Friday. With fine weather, beautiful grounds, and all in high spirits, there was of course much enjoyment. The party was large and every one delighted.

☞The Presbyterian Sabbath School spent the same day at Wolf's woods. This, too, was a very pleasant affair.

☞The meeting of the Alumni Association of the College took place on Wednesday evening week, in the College Church. The Address of Prof. M. Valentine was requested for publication; and Victor Conrad, of N. York., of the class of 1848, was selected as Orator for next year. A committee of three was appointed, consisting of Hon. Edward McPherson, Dr. Hay, and Prof. Stoever, to prepare a roll of those of the Alumni and under-graduates who have served in the Union army, with a brief statement of the military history of each—the report to be published in the next general report, and in the newspapers. The old officers were re-elected as follows:

President—Hon Edward McPherson.
Secretary—Prof. M. L Stoever.
Treasurer—Henry J. Fahnestock.

Rev. Dr. James L. Shock, of the class of 1839, Rev. C. F. Hoffa of 1857, C. S. Walker of 1857, and Rev. A. Ebling of 1862, died during the year. Before the close of the meeting $1,050 were added to the fund for the endowment of the Alumni Professorship.

Sheriff's Sales.

Sheriff Rebert sold at public outcry, at the Court House on Saturday week, the following property:

The real estate of Peter Orndorff, in Mountjoy township, 152 acres improved, for $2,000—John Eckenrode purchaser.

The real estate of George Kaltrider, in Reading township, 18 acres improved, for $250—John Hanes purchaser.

National Teachers' Association—A Visit to Gettysburg.

Our goodly town bids fair to become pretty well known throughout the Republic.—MILTIADES met the enemies of his country at Marathon, and immortalized the spot by the heroism which rolled back the tide of invasion and saved Athens from the hands of the spoilers. It pleased God, in his providence, to permit the valiant MEADE and the gallant Army of the Potomac to meet the armed enemies of the Republic at Gettysburg, and roll back the tide of invasion which threatened devastation of the North, and destruction of National Liberty. Gettysburg, like Marathon, will stand out in history, Classic ground—the Mecca of Patriotism—an attraction to tourists, and the theme of orators and poets.

One of the most interesting incidents with which our town has been honored, since the great Battles of 1863, was the visit, last week, of the "National Teachers' Association." This Association, composed of representatives of the Educational interests of seventeen States, Colleges, Academies and Common Schools, and necessarily embracing a large amount of educated intellect—held its annual session at Harrisburg last week. On Thursday the Association determined to visit the Battle-field of Gettysburg in a body. Our citizens having been apprised of their purpose a day or two before, a town meeting was called at the Courthouse on Tuesday evening, to tender the hospitalities of the place to the members of the Association, and make suitable arrangements for their reception. The following gentlemen were appointed a Committee for that purpose:

R. G. McCreary, Dr. Charles Horner, John F. McCreary, Jeremiah Diehl, S. S. McCreary, H D. Wattles, D M'Conaughy, R. H. Lyttle, J. H. White, J. T. M'Ilhenny, H. J. Stahle and D. A. Buehler.

The Association, numbering about 450 ladies and gentlemen, and embracing some of the most distinguished educators in the country, left Harrisburg on Thursday morning, in a special train. At Hanover Junction they were met by a committee of reception from this place.

Reaching Gettysburg at noon, the members of the Association were conducted to the various Hotels and furnished with a free dinner, and thence to Cemetery Hill, where they were divided off into small squads, each provided with a guide, who conducted them over the Battle field, and to the most interesting localities.

At 5 o'clock, by previous arrangement, the members of the Association met in the grounds of the National Cemetery, where the formal reception took place. After prayer by Rev. Mr. COLEMAN, of Wilmington, Del., Rev. Mr. CARNAHAN, in behalf of the citizens of Gettysburg, welcomed the Association to the hospitalities of the town, in a very neat and pertinent address, which was handsomely responded to by Prof. GREEN, of Rhode Island, President of the Association. Prof. HINKLE, of Ohio, offered a series of Resolutions, pertinent to the occasion—complimentary to the Soldiers of the Republic, recognizing the historic importance of the Battle of Gettysburg as the great turning-point in the contest, and concluding with a cordial acknowledgment of the obligations of the Association to the citizens of Gettysburg for their hospitality and kind attentions Patriotic impromptu speeches we re made by Mr. SHELDON, of Boston, Mr. RICHARDS, of Washington, D. C, Mr. DIXON, of Canada, Mr. STIER, of Philadelphia, Prof. HINKLE, of Ohio, Prof. SHOEMAKER, of Academia, Prof. WICKERSHAM, of Lancaster, and others.

Prof. CLARKE, of New York, an accomplished vocalist and musical composer, sang, by request, a beautiful piece composed by him, based upon an incident of the battle—the finding of a daguerreotype of three little children in the hands of a dead Union soldier. The entire Association, led by Prof. CLARKE, united in singing the National Hymn—"My Country, 'tis of thee."

Hearty cheers were successively given for the Union—for the Soldiers of the Republic—the Army of the Potomac—the President of the United States—the National Flag—and the Citizens of Gettysburg.

The Association then proceeded to the depot, and left for Harrisburg about 6½ o'clock—apparently delighted with their trip to the Battle-field, and profuse in their expressions of gratification at the reception extended them by the Citizens of Gettysburg. A large proportion—probably a majority—of the Association, were Ladies, representing the Teachers of New England and other Northern States. The Resolutions adopted were retained, to be published with the official proceedings of the Association.

☞General George H. Thomas has been appointed Major General in the regular army, in place of Fremont, resigned. Gen'l Schofield becomes Brigadier General, in place of Sheridan, promoted. General Terry becomes Brigadier General, in place of Meade, promoted. General John A. Rawlins is appointed Brigadier General and Chief of Staff of the Lieutenant General commanding the armies of the U. S.

☞The Atlantic Cable has again failed, having parted on the 2nd inst, in 1900 fathoms of water, 1,060 miles out at sea from Valentia. Attempts were made to grapple it for several days, which was done, but in raising it the grappling ropes always broke, and the Great Eastern steamed back to England for stronger ropes.

Union State Convention.

This body assembled at Harrisburg on Thursday last There was a full attendance, and perfect harmony and good feeling characterized their whole session. Hon. John Cessna, of Bedford, was temporary Chairman, and H. C. Johnson, of Crawford, permanent Chairman. Mr. Wills was the Delegate from this County.

A series of Resolutions were adopted, and are of a most excellent character—worthy of being the Platform of the loyal, patriotic citizens of Pennsylvania. They were unanimously adopted. We will give them next week.

The Convention went into a ballot for a candidate for Auditor General. Several gentlemen received highly respectable votes—Gen. Hartranft leading. Before the vote was announced, the names of the other candidates were withdrawn, and General HARTRANFT was nominated by acclamation, amid tremendous cheers.

For Surveyor General, Col. JAMES CAMPBELL, of Cambria, was nominated by unanimous consent.

A State Central Committee was appointed, of which Hon. John Cessna, of Bedford is Chairman. Dr. E. G. Fahnestock is the member from this county.

Breaking Off.

It is a remarkable fact, says the *Telegraph*, that the Democracy, within the last eight years, have changed their attachment for men and measures with a rapidity more wonderful than the expert necromancer changes the objects with which he deludes his astonished audience. When Andrew Johnson assumed the control of the Government, he was at once seized by the Democratic leaders and claimed as the true exponent of Democracy. It was immediately insisted that he could do no wrong. The country was precipitately informed by Democratic orators that President Johnson was a Conservative, a Democrat so wedded to the Constitution as to be incapable of wrong. But suddenly, and with the rapidity of the *presto, change!* magic by which Blitz converts an egg into a stone or clear water to black ink, the Democratic leaders have altered their opinions of Andy Johnson. He is not the man they took him to be. He approved of the hanging of a she-secessionist who was engaged in the assassination of Mr. Lincoln, and that approval was horribly anti-Democratic. He sanctioned the hanging and life confinement of others engaged in the same crime, and the action congealed the life blood of Democratic admiration of Andy Johnson. Added to these facts and actions, the President shows no haste in recognizing bloody rebels—but insists that, as the rebellion was merely an outbreak of individuals to impair the power of the National authority, that authority cannot be fairly vindicated until those individuals are completely punished. In fact, the Democracy have nothing to hope from Andy Johnson, and they are therefore abandoning the plan they had conceived for sharing the patronage and controlling the policy of his Administration.

☞It is a fact worth of note, says the *Telegraph*, that the cause of education during all the terrible years of the war lately so gloriously ended in favor of the Government, has suffered little in the free States—has lost none of its interest or importance in the States loyal to the national authority—while in the States devoted to slavery and armed for treason, education has almost been lost sight of. The Common Schools and Colleges of Pennsylvania never were in a more flourishing condition than they are to day. Of course we can only speak for our own State; but we believe that the same assertion could be safely made in reference to the schools and colleges of other States. And while this has been the condition of the cause of education in the free, the same interest in the slave States has declined so greatly that it has now scarcely an upholder. These facts serve to show the difference between the political as well as the social organization in the two great sections of the country.

☞The dreaded Asiatic cholera, our readers are aware, commenced a short time since in the East, as it did some years ago, and is making great ravages there. It is now on its way westward with rapidity as then. There is great uneasiness in Europe at its approach; and the different Governments are taking measures of precaution to protect themselves. Our Government received intelligence on Friday from the U. S. Consul at Port Mahon, that the cholera had made its appearance on the coast of Spain. From its rapid advance westward the past few weeks, fears are apprehended that the disease may again become general.

☞The trial of Capt. Werz, the brutal keeper of the Andersonville prison, where so many of our soldiers were slowly murdered by his cruelty, was to commence yesterday at Washington. The President of the Court martial is General Lew. Wallace. Gen. Geary is one of the members. A very large number of witnesses are on the ground, ready to testify by personal experience as to his unprecedented brutality.

☞There is an immense business doing in the peach line in New Jersey. On Wednesday last a peach train of 43 cars, containing 22,000 baskets, passed through Newark for Philadelphia and New York, and this is almost a daily business.

Our State Ticket.

Major General John Frederick Hartranft, the nominee of the Convention for Auditor General, is already well known, not only throughout the State, but to the whole country. He is a native of Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, and is less than thirty five years of age. He graduated at Union College, Schnectady, N. Y., in 1853, and commenced life as a civil engineer. He finally commenced the study of the law, and was in practice at the breaking out of the Rebellion. He raised the Fourth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, and commanded them during the 3 months' service. At the first battle of Bull Run he acted as a volunteer aid on the staff of General Franklin. He then raised the Fifty first Penna. Regiment, and with them joined Burnside's North Carolina expedition.

He remained in command of his regiment, doing signal service at Second Bull Run, Antietam, Vicksburg and other points south, until June, 1863, when prostrated by sun stroke, he was sent North. In November he rejoined his regiment at Knoxville, and the successful resistance during the siege was in a great measure due to the engineering skill of Col. Hartranft. In January, 1864, the Fifty first re enlisted, and Col. Hartranft rejoined his comrades. Soon after he was appointed to command a brigade of the Third Division, and for his valuable services from the Wilderness to Hatcher's Run, was made Brigadier General, to rank from May 12th, 1864. Early in last April he was brevetted Major Gen. for gallant and meritorious conduct before Petersburg, where his services were of a character to call forth the special commendations of his superiors.

In consideration of his peculiar merit he was selected by the President and Secretary of War as one of the few General officers exempted from the orders for the muster out of officers, and at the time of his nomination he was on his way to Tennessee, to assume the duties of his new command.

Colonel JACOB M. CAMPBELL, of Cambria county, the nominee for Surveyor General, is also a gallant soldier, and he too achieved considerable distinction during the war He entered the service on the 30th of July 1861, as Colonel of the Fifty fourth Regiment of Penn'a Volunteers, and participated in nearly all the battles of the Army of the Potomac.

☞Murder has become a fashionable crime; and its popularity seems to be an inducement for its commission on the most trivial offenses. Maidens with broken hearts no longer weep themselves to death, but murder those who trifle with their affections. Men suspicious of their wives, instead of cutting the connubial knot, straightway cut some lothario's throat or blow out his brains, and then live happily with their spouses, satisfied with the popularity thus acquired. Women murder for revenge, and men kill for love. So the world moves on, and old Beelzebub is made glad.

Something New.

We call attention to the advertisement of the Duplex Elliptic or double Spring Skirt Though a recent invention, it has become very popular, and is rapidly obtaining the preference over other kinds in use. The rods in it are composed each of two delicate and well-tempered steel springs, which are ingeniously braided together edge to edge, the lower rods heavier, and having a double covering This peculiarity of construction makes this skirt very strong and also so exceedingly flexible that it readily adapts itself to the form of the wearer, and allows of any amount of doubling and crushing without injury to its shape. These skirts are unquestionably the lightest, most desirable, comfortable and economical ever made. These are advantages which ladies, who have experienced the discomfort and inconvenience of single springs, will duly appreciate. *

☞There has been tremendous crashing among the brokers of New York, forging and stealing—and there is quite a panic. The house of Ketchum & Co. is the heaviest loser—the defalcations of the firm, (through the villainy of one of the firm, Edward Ketchum, who forged, stole and fled) amount to $2,500,000—and the whole loss by young Ketchum is estimated at $4,000,000. He has not yet been caught. The panic still continues—as it is not known now who is safe—the frauds affecting so many.

☞Secretary Seward was so much benefited by his late visit to Cape May, that he returned there on Thursday by water, in the steamer Northerner. He was to return yesterday, with his family. Mr. Frederick W. Seward's health has also very much improved at the Cape; and it is thought he will soon be perfectly restored.

☞During the late term of the Circuit court at Springfield, Ill, there were no less than twenty one decrees of divorce rendered! "Marry in haste—repent at leisure."

☞A vein of hard bituminous coal has been struck in Horse Valley, Perry county, which is likely to prove of value.

☞The planters of some portions of S. Carolina having forgotten that the negroes have been lately freed, have taken to their old tricks of applying the lash to those who were lately their slaves. Gen. Van Wyck, commanding the Westmoreland district, has consequently deemed it necessary to imprison some of the offending chivalry, and to issue an order warning all others against similar conduct.

BOSTON, August 18.—The whaling bark Pearl, of New London, while on the passage from Honolulu to the Arctic Ocean was destroyed by the pirate Shenandoah. This capture is additional to the fleet before reported as destroyed.

COTTON FRAUD.—Two bales of cotton were received in Philadelphia a few days since from Memphis, Tenn. On examining them, a twelve pound bomb shell, and a piece of iron, weighing nearly forty pounds, were found snugly stowed away in them. At the present price of cotton, iron is a most excellent substitute, so far as weight is concerned.

National Teachers' Association.

This talented body of Instructors was in session for several days at Harrisburg last week. After the transaction of a large amount of interesting business, they finally adjourned on Friday evening. During their session, they visited Gettysburg, as will be seen by our notice in another column. The Harrisburg papers say they arrived safely at that place, on their return, at 10 o'clock, P. M., much pleased with the day's results, and particularly with the hospitality of the citizens of Gettysburg.

On Friday, a report of their proceedings during the visit to Gettysburg, was submitted, which included the following resolutions, offered by Prof. HINKLE on the Battle field:

Resolved, That we shall ever cherish with grateful remembrance the opportunity offered us this day of seeing the great battle field on which was decided, in July, 1863, the fate of this nation.

Resolved, That we consider this place in the Keystone State beautiful by nature, and made infinitely more glorious by being the spot at which the nation was born anew.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to the railway companies that have so kindly furnished us the means of this at a reduced rate of fare.

Resolved, That the unexpected attention shown us by the citizens of Gettysburg in providing us with a free dinner and guides to the battle field, deserves our warmest thanks.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

☞The correspondent of the Baltimore *American*, speaking of the Teachers' visit to Gettysburg, says the welcome of the citizens was as cordial as it was unexpected.—And speaking of the interesting scene at the close, in the National Cemetery, adds: "The teachers of the Republic received an inspiration which they will extend to their pupils, and thousands, even tens of thousands will have their love of country strengthened, and their devotion to liberty energized through the potent influence of this gathering of educators upon the soil where martyred patriots sleep the sleep which knows no waking."

☞South Bend, Indiana, was visited on Wednesday night with a fierce and devastating tornado. Its track was about two hundred yards wide. It commenced a mile east of Notre Dame College, and swept through the centre of the town and to a distance of ten miles Roofs and chimneys of many substantial structures were struck off and many frame buildings ruined. Trees and shrubbery were torn up by the roots The court house, a large brick building, was unroofed. One of the churches was also unroofed. Several large brick buildings in course of erection in the business part of the town were leveled to the ground. Hundreds of residences shared in the general damage. The most serious loss to South Bend, however, is the destruction of a large bridge across St. Joseph river, some three hundred feet long, and costing $24 000, which was swept off. The entire damage in the town is estimated at $200,000 The loss outside of South Bend is not known, but must be heavy. Many persons were injured but no lives lost

☞The President has granted amnesty pardon to Benj. Fitzpatrick, formerly United States Senator from Alabama and candidate for Vice President in 1860, on the Douglas ticket, before Herschel V. Johnson was placed upon it. Herschel V. was pardoned a few days ago, and now Fitzpatrick, so all that are left of the Douglas standard-bearers are "amnestied" through the intercession and persuasion of the widow of Judge Douglas, who is believed to be the moving power producing these results.

Severe Earthquake in Tennessee and Mississippi.

MEMPHIS, August 17.—The shock of an earthquake was felt here this morning, shaking buildings and tumbling down chimneys, upsetting loose articles, &c. An iron safe in establishment was also thrown over. The shock was even more plainly felt at Holly Springs, Miss., and Lagrange, Tenn. It lasted about ten seconds. No particulars of the damage done has been received.

☞The Hon Jas. Smith, Judge of the Circuit Court of Alleghany county, died very suddenly near Cumberland, on Monday last. He was riding on horseback, when he fell dead from his horse. He had been suffering for some time with disease of the heart, and to this is attributed his death. The late Judge had been distinguished throughout the rebellion for his fidelity to the Union, and was only last fall elevated to the bench, having been elected for the term of fifteen years Judge Smith was at one time Provost Marshal of the Fourth Congressional District.

☞Statistics of the War Department show that during the rebellion our armies captured over 300,000 prisoners of war, besides paroling about one hundred and sixty thousand more at the final surrender of the different Rebel armies. These records are now undergoing a complete compilation, and the facts developed thereby are of much interest.

☞The commissioner of the Internal Revenue has decided that where a person purchases trees of nursery men to fill orders previously obtained and delivers the same at the different stations on the railroad, either by himself or his agents, he is required to take out a dealer's license for each and every station at which he delivers the trees. The same decision will apply to his agents.

☞Fox Rudd, of Buztown, Pennsylvania, is eighty nine years old He has lost nine sons in the war. Eight were killed in battle, the ninth by starvation at Salisbury. His tortures there were so intense that he ate his own right arm in the hope of assuaging his hunger.

☞A private letter from Fort Riley, of a quite recent date, says the Indians have been very troublesome for several days, and that about forty men of the 11th Kansas Cavalry were murdered by them at Fort Yarah, near Fort Riley, and that the Indians had also captured a train of military stores. The soldiers killed were a part of the trade escort.

The Kentucky Election.

The result of the Kentucky election is very gratifying. Out of the nine members of Congress elect, five favor the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment abolishing slavery. The triumph of Gen. Rosseau, who has triumphantly fought the enemies of the Union both on the battle field and at the ballot box, is especially gratifying.—The attempt to enforce the State law disfranchising those who aided the rebellion appears to have failed in many parts of the State. The Rebels, fresh from the battle-field, defiant and disloyal as ever, would and did vote. Oaths were no obstacle to them. They denied the authority to administer them, or their binding force when administered, but still took them and voted. The result even under this weak enforcement of a necessary and righteous law, has been a triumph for the right side.

☞We learn from the Edgefield (S. C.) Advertiser that the branches of the South Carolina Railroad btween Branchville and Johnston's Turn out, and from Orangeburg to Columbia, are under contract, and are being rapidly pushed forward toward completion. The Greenville and Columbia Road is in running order from Greenville to Alston, and the remainder of it, which is of not much length, is being rapidly put in order. The Northeastern Railroad is now running its entire length from Charleston to Florence The Wilmington and Manchester Road is running from Kingsville 97 miles of its length, and will be in order its entire length, it is said, during this month. The Cheraw and Darlington Road also is now running its entire length. The Columbia and Hamburg Road has a large force of workmen on it and is rapidly pushed forward. The Charleston and Savannah Railroad is running its entire length.

A "CONCILIATED REBEL"—The Nashville correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* gives the following specimen of the conciliated Rebel feeling: A widow of a leading Rebel of that city, who was endeavouring to obtain possession of her husband's property, was the speaker. "General," she said, "I have taken the oath of amnesty. I didn't take it because I liked or believed in it. I want my house back. Of course its requirements will be obeyed But oath-taking can't make me love you. How I hate your country—hate them all! We are not converted; we are not subjugated. I am frank, General, you see. You'll like that better than hypocrisy, I reckon. But we should have succeeded if Jeff. Davis had not been incapable and our Congress imbecile. I gave two sons to the war, and I would give two more to fight you again, if I could."

☞The family gathering of the venerable Israel Washburne, of Livermore, Me., took place last week at the residence of that gentleman, six of his seven sons being present, as follows: Israel Washburne, Jr., Ex Governor of Maine and Ex-M. C; Elihu B Washburne, M C, of Galena, Ill; Cadwallader C Washburne, Ex M. C. from Wisconsin and Major General United States Volunteers; Charles Washburne, Minister at Paraguay; Algernon S, formerly a merchant in Boston, at present cashier of a bank in Hallowell, and —— Washburne, Surveyor General, Minnesota

☞As a slight indication of the esteem in which many Rebel General officers are now held by their fellow citizens whom they so long and cruelly deluded, it may interest the public to know that Gen'l Forrest cannot return to his plantation and old home on the Mississippi river with safety to himself, unless protected by Federal bayonets. He is at the present time endeavoring to lease his land to a resigned Federal officer, because he feels his life would not be safe a day among his infuriated acquaintances and former associates. Doubtless there are many similar cases.

GRAPES.—A writer in the New York Tribune, who has traveled extensively in the Western States, says that grapes in Ohio are rotting by the ton. The Catawbas and Isabellas mostly are gone, and the Concords are also suffering badly. On the Ohio Lake Shore many Isabellas were badly mildewed.

☞The order in which the abolition of slavery has been accomplished by the various States which once tolerated it, is as follows: Netherlands in 1818, England 1833, Sweden 1846, Denmark and France 1848, Holland 1860, and the United States 1865 Spain and Brazil are the only two civilized nations which now uphold the slave system.

☞The poor whites of New Orleans draw three times as many rations from the Government as do freedmen and refugees. So reports the Assistant Commissioner of Freedmen for Louisiana. Only nine hundred rations are issued daily to colored people at New Orleans, while twenty seven hundred rations are daily drawn by indigent whites.

☞Lawlessness to an alarming extent prevails in all parts of Baltimore, which is accounted for by the re-appearance of large numbers of rowdies who left that city to engage in the rebellion, and who, since their parole, have returned to take up their old occupation of robbery, theft and murder.

☞Many of the troops in the department of Virginia demur to being longer detained in service, having, as they allege, enlisted for the war. General Terry has issued an order defining "during the war" to mean as long as a military necessity in any of the insurrectionary States exists.

☞The colored schools in Louisiana, established by General Banks, embrace, it is reported, one hundred and twenty six schools two hundred and thirty teachers, fifteen thousand children in day schools, and five thousand adults in night and Sunday schools; in all, twenty thousand persons under instruction.

☞Gen. Canby has issued an order from New Orleans that all soldiers who wish to remain in the South shall be mustered out at such points as may be consistent with the welfare of the service.

☞Military courts will be dispensed with as soon as practicable, and the order suspending the writ of habeas corpus is soon to be rescinded by the President.

☞If one half the people knew what the other half said about them, friendship would be entirely unknown.